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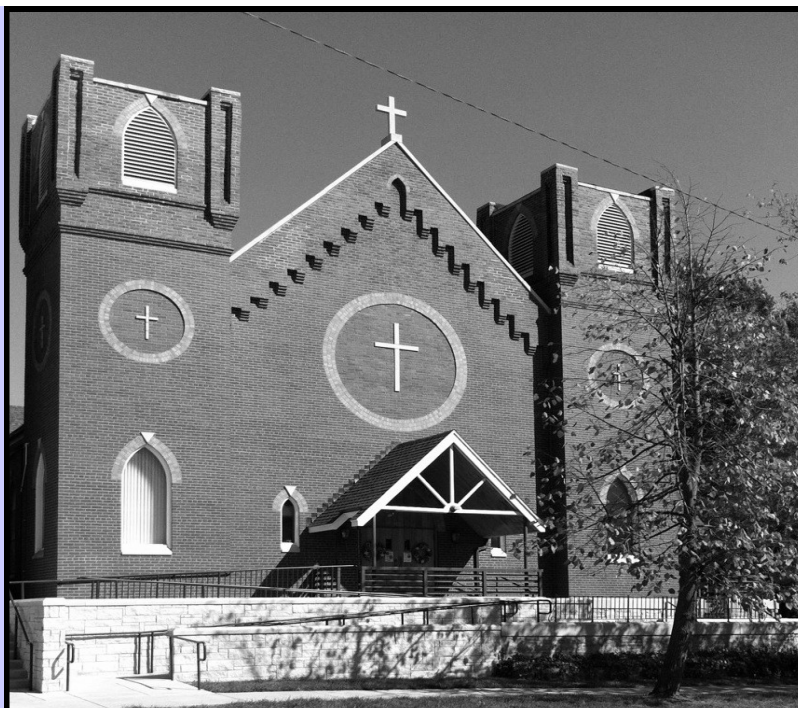
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**MASS SCHEDULE
HORARIO DE MISAS****Saturday/Sábado**

5:30 pm English

Sunday/Domingo

10:00 am English
12:30 pm Español

Tuesday-Thursday / Martes-Jueves

8:15 am English

First Friday/Primer Viernes

10:00 am English

CONFESSION/CONFESIÓN:**Saturday/Sábado**

4:30-5:15 pm or by appointment. *O con cita*

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY/
SACRAMENTO DEL MATRIMONIO**

Please call the Parish Office for appointment (6 months of marriage preparation required).
Favor de hablar a la oficina para una cita (6 meses de preparacion requerida).

BAPTISM/BAUTISMOS

Please call the parish office. *Favor de hablar a la oficina.*

MASS INTENTIONS/INTENCIONES PARA LAS MISAS

Please visit the parish office. *Favor de hablar a la oficina.*

CONFIRMATION/CONFIRMACIÓN

The Bishop visits our parish for Confirmation every two years. *El Obispo visita nuestra parroquia cada 2 años.*

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

Grades K-6/Grados K-6:
Sundays/Domingo 11:00 am -12:15 pm
Grades 7-12/Grados 7-12:
Wednesdays/Miércoles 7:00 pm

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST COMMUNION/PRIMERA RECONCILIACIÓN Y PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

Children in first grade must be enrolled in the Parish School/Parish School of Religion (PSR) to receive the sacrament in second grade. *Los niños en primer grado deben estar inscritos en la Escuela Parroquial/Escuela Parroquial de Religión (PSR) para recibir el sacramento en segundo grado.*

EMAUS: Invites you to pray the Holy Rosary every Saturday at 7:50 am. *Se les invita a rezar el Santo Rosario cada sábado a las 7:50 am.*

Welcome to the Catholic Community of

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St. Lawrence Catholic Church



Diocese of
Springfield-Cape
Girardeau

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Office Hours/Horas de Oficina: Monday-Friday/Lunes-Viernes 9:00 am-4:00 pm

Parish Mission Statement/ Misión Parroquial

"We children of God and the Catholic community of St. Lawrence parish are committed to the worship of God and the spreading of the Gospel of Jesus Christ through education and our living example of love and concern for all the people of our area."

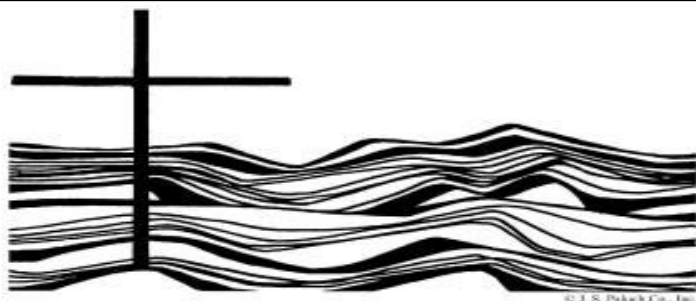
"Los hijos de Dios y la comunidad Católica de la parroquia de San Lorenzo estamos comprometidos con la adoración a Dios y la difusión del Evangelio de Jesucristo a través de la educación y nuestro ejemplo vivo de amor y preocupación por todas las personas de nuestra área".

Weekly Collection

August 28, 2022

Envelopes /Loose Checks	\$4,955.00
Loose Bills/ Change	\$874.98
Mass Offerings	\$60.00
Outreach	\$55.00
School Support	\$24.00
Building Fund	\$45.00
Religious Goods	\$19.00
PSR	\$110.00
Hail Damage Diocese	\$3,425.57
Sacred Heart Reimbursement	\$1,805.48
Total:	\$11,298.83

Fr. Rahab would like to thank everyone for your generous contributions to our Parish.



Prayer Chain

If you have a prayer request please call Joan McNerney (417-235-3836), or Marlene Hayes (417-235-5524) to make the request. If you wish to place a name in the parish bulletin please call the parish office (417-235-3286).

Sick and Homebound

Please contact the parish office, if you know of any one that is homebound, in a nursing home or in a caring facility. Fr. Rahab would like to visit them on a regular basis. Thank you for your help.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

If you would like to have something in the bulletin, please send it via email to the parish office no later than 12:00 noon on Monday. Please email: stlawrence1892@gmail.com
Thank you!



NEED YOUR ROSARIES REPAIRED?
Please call Al Fiffe for Rosary repair at (417) 236-6220.

Weekly Calendar

Los Santos Y Otras Celebraciones

SAT. SEPTEMBER 3RD: ST. GREGORY THE GREAT; FIRST SATURDAY

SÁBADO: SAN GREGORIO MAGNO; PRIMER SÁBADO
4:30 pm Confessions
5:30 pm Mass Monett for + Dr. Frank Esparrago

SUN. SEPTEMBER 4TH: 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DOMINGO: VIGÉSIMO TERCER DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

8:00 am Mass Verona
10:00am Mass Monett +Gene Roetto
5:00pm Misa de Domingo Verona

MON. SEPTEMBER 5TH: LABOR DAY

LUNES: Día del Trabajo
OFFICE CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY

TUE. SEPTEMBER 6TH

8:15am Mass Monett +Heavenly Wedding Anniversary for Donaciando and Guadalupe Cervantez
7:00 pm Bible Study

WED. SEPTEMBER 7TH

8:00am Mass Verona
7:00pm Fist Day of PSR Class

THUR. SEPTEMBER 8TH: THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Jueves: La Natividad de la Santísima Virgen María
8:15am Mass Monett + Margie Lepage and Harold Mettlach

FRI. SEPTEMBER 9TH: ST. PETER CLAVER

VIERNES: SAN PEDRO CLAVER

8:00AM MASS VERONA

SAT. SEPTEMBER 10TH: BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

SÁBADO: SANTA MARÍA VIRGEN

4:30 CONFESSIONS

5:30 pm Mass Monett for +Michael Schmidt

SUN. SEPTEMBER 11TH: 234TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME; GRANDPARENTS DAY; PATRIOT DAY

8:00 am Mass Verona

10:00 am Mass Monett +Barbara Monto

12:30 pm Misa de Domingo Monett

5:00 pm Misa de Domingo Verona

Mr. Ed Laning has Bible Study every Tuesday at 7:00 pm in the conference room. Everyone is welcome to attend!



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

September 4, 2022 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Time LIMITS

Today’s readings continue the theme of humility explored last Sunday. All three readings today encourage us to admit that we have limits, and God has none. The poignant poetry of Wisdom resonates with all of us who have ever struggled for peace in situations we cannot control: “For the corruptible body burdens the soul and the earthen shelter weighs down the mind that has many concerns.” Saint Paul recognizes his own limitations, both physically (he is in prison) and spiritually: he cannot compel his friend to obey his wishes; he can only propose his request and respect Philemon’s free will. In the Gospel, Jesus reminds us that God alone can complete the good we wish to do in the world. While we thank God for the gifts we receive—and the families we love—we acknowledge that they are temporary, and humbly cling to God.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Who can ever know God’s counsel unless God gives wisdom and sends the Holy Spirit from on high? (Wisdom 9:13-18b).

Psalm — In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge (Psalm 90).

Second Reading — Paul asks Philemon to accept back his slave Onesimus, not as a slave but as a brother (Philemon 9-10, 12-17).

Gospel — To be a disciple of Jesus one must carry one’s own cross and renounce all possessions (Luke 14:25-33).
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School News

Dear St. Lawrence Family,

The first 10 days of school are already past and it has really flown by! We are bust learning and getting to know each other. We are studying Virtues this year as well as learning more about the 3 Hearts!

The Scholastic Book Fair will be here this week. It will be open during school hours if you would like to come check it out. We are also happy to host our Grandparents for Mass and Cookies on Thursday, Sept. 8. We’re so glad we can have Grandparents come visit us again@!

Thank you for your constant support and prayers for us. Please know that we pray for all of you, too!

God bless,
Tracey

September Lectors

Saturday 5:30pm Mass

- September 3rd.....Patricia Randall
- September 10th.....Jim Ceselski
- September 17th.....Al Dohmen
- September 24th.....Thomas Kump
 - Alternates: Dayannara Ibarra and Nikki Pierce

Sunday 10:00am Mass

- September 4th.....Angie Madison
- September 11th.....Sara Schad
- September 18th.....Sandy Jastal
- September 25th.....Lynda Velten
 - Alternates
 - Sonie Probstfield
 - Jayden Apostol
 - Daniel Navarro
 - Isaias Salas

PCCW

Summer is nearly over and it’s time to roll up our sleeves and get back together again. The next PCCW meeting for our Monett Parish will be held Monday, September 12, 2022 at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall. All ladies 18 years and up are needed. Please come and join us in our Christian efforts as many hands make light the work. We hope to see you then. Thank you

Neva Welters
PCCW President



Attention PCCW

Deanery 2’s quarterly meeting will be held at Ss. Peter and Paul’s Church, Pulaskifield, Sept. 8th. Registration at 9:30, Mass at 10:00 am, followed by a guest speaker from Crosslines, then a retreat for the ladies by Fr. Paul. Lunch will be at 11:30 followed by the completion of Fr. Paul’s presentation and a short business meeting.

Diocesan News

Save the Dates

First Catholic Women's Conference—Holy Trinity Catholic Church, located at 2818 E Bennett, Springfield, will host the first Catholic Women's Conference, Sat. Oct. 15.

Evangelization and Discipleship Summit

-Saturday, September 24, 9am-3:30 pm at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Springfield, MO

-Saturday, October 15, 9am-3:30pm at the Drury Hotel and Conference Center, Cape Girardeau

2022 Clergy Institute

The Clergy Institute will take place from Monday, October 10 (afternoon) to Friday, October 14 (noon) at Drury Plaza Hotel and Conference Center, 3351 Percy Drive, Cape Girardeau

Diocesan Liturgy Conference

All current and potential parish Music Leaders, Choir Members, Musicians, Readers, Server Trainers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Liturgical Coordinators, Sacristans and those interested in the liturgical life of the parish are invited to the Diocesan Liturgy Conferences on:

- Sat., Sept. 17, 9am-2:30pm at Notre Dame
- Regional High School, Cape Girardeau
- Sat. Nov. 5, 9am-2:30pm at Holy Trinity
 - Parish, Springfield

Cost \$10 per person and includes lunch. Advance registration is required. For more information contact Katie Newton at 417-866-0841 or knewton@dioscg.org

Fall Faculty Meeting

“Introduction to Theology of the Body”
All day meeting includes lunch. Cost \$10 (pay at check in) RSVP to Debra Owensby at dkowensby@dioscg.org
October 19– Notre Dame High School, Cape Girardeau
October 20– St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Springfield
Approximate time 8:30am-3:00pm



November 17-20 Women's Cursillo Retreat
Pinecrest Camp, Fredericktown

December 1-4 Men's Cursillo Retreat

January 18-23, 2023 March for Life
Washington D.C.

February 5 Wedding Anniversaries Celebration - Cape Girardeau

February 19 Wedding Anniversaries Celebration - Springfield

February 25 Catholic Men's Conference
Springfield

February 26 Rite of Election - Springfield

March 5 Rite of Election - Cape Girardeau

March 24-25 Diocesan Youth Conference Cape Girardeau

March 31-April 1 Diocesan Youth Conference Carthage

Encountering the Eucharist, East to West Diocesan Pilgrimage Masses

- Deanery 4, Sun., Sept. 25 St. Agnes Cathedral, Springfield, Vigil Mass 5pm Benediction 7pm
- Deanery 5, Mon., Sept., 26 Sacred Heart, Willow Springs, Parish Mass 9am Benediction at 6pm
- Deanery 1, Tues., Sept., 27 St. Peter the Apostle, Joplin, Parish/School Mass 8:15am Benediction 6pm
- Deanery 2, Wed., Sept., 28 St. Mary, Pierce City, Parish/School Mass 8:15am Benediction 7pm
- Deanery 3, Thurs., Sept., 29 Sacred Heart, Bolivar, Parish Mass 8:30am Benediction 7pm
- Deanery 7, Fri., Sept., 30 Sacred Heart, Poplar Bluff, Parish/School Mass 8:30am Benediction 7pm
- Deanery 6, Sat., Oct., 1 St. Mary of the Annunciation Cathedral, Cape Girardeau, Vigil Mass 4:30pm Benediction 7pm

News and Upcoming Events

Welcome back to the PSR Spirit 2022-2023

PSR Registrations

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Catechists,

Come Holy Spirit! This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad.

We welcomed our Sisters from San Antonio last Monday and enjoyed their stay with us. We enjoyed listening to their stories of our Sister's history arriving to Missouri. This trip was a success with the surprise of the presence of 23 young ladies attending the retreat. Thank you St. Lawrence Community Families for your support and prayers. We continue to keep praying for vocations.

PSR NEWS– MEET AND GREET, Wednesday, September 7 at 7pm and Sunday, September 11 at 11m. Welcome Back Families! We have 95 enrollments and hope to see you on the 1st day of PSR.

REMINDER: Confirmation Oct. 26, 2022

New Volunteers and Catechists are reminded to please fill out a Code of Conduct Form.

Let us pray to the Holy Spirit to enlighten us for a renewal of spirit. We ask for guidance and to lead us closer to Jesus as we begin the new year of PSR.

Blessings

In the heart of Mary!

Sister Ophelia

Activities



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

- ◆ Meetings held every 1st Thursday of the month at 7:00p.m.
- ◆ Join us in praying the rosary, every Saturday before Mass at 5:00pm and before Mass on the 5th Sunday at 9:30am.

Information for Everyone

The Greater Ozarks Chapter of Knights of Columbus and Monett's Council #1075 are planning a coat drive for new coats for kids. If you know of any kids needing a new coat let us know. Monett Coat Drive will be held October 22, 2022 in the Church Basement from 2pm-4pm.

We also need gently used clean coats for adults. Contact Ed Velten 417-235-9638 or Lynda Velten 417-354-4228. You can also drop off any donations of coats or money to Suzie Velten at the Church Office.



A prayer to Grandparents

I praise you dear Grandparents. I love you so much my love will never fade. You give me joy when I am down and I have you when I cry. I love my Grandparents. God put a hedge of protection around them and care for them as they do to you.

Wrap them in your love and hold them tight so they will never get a fright. Amen.



Written by Lydia Rainey, St. Peter and Paul National School.

What is the National Eucharistic Revival?

Scandal, division, disease, doubt. The Church has withstood each of these throughout our very human history. But today we confront all of them, all at once. Our response in this moment is pivotal. In the midst of these roaring waves, Jesus is present, reminding us that he is more powerful than the storm. He desires to heal, renew, and unify the Church and the world. How will he do it? By uniting us once again around the source and summit of our faith—the Holy Eucharist. The National Eucharist Revival is the joyful, expectant, grassroots response of the entire Catholic Church in the U.S. to this divine invitation.

MISSION

To renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.

VISION

To inspire a movement of Catholics across the United States who are healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist—and who are then sent out on mission “for the life of the world.”

TIMELINE

June 2022-June 2023 Year of Diocesan Revival

- Our Diocese will host special Eucharistic activities throughout the year.
- June: Diocesan Corpus Christi Processions
 - August : Encountering the Eucharist, East to West (Eucharistic Pilgrimage)
 - September and October: Evangelization and Discipleship Summit featuring Eucharistic speakers
 - More to come this year!

Catechetical Sunday

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

Catechetical Sunday honors the vocation of a catechist. Find opportunities to provide spiritual and formation nourishment as we begin a new year.

This year’s theme is “This is my body given for you” (Lk 22:19). It complements the USCCB three-year initiative for the National Eucharist Revival.

Noticias de Educación Religiosa

Estimados padres y familias,

¡Ven, espíritu santo! Este es el día que hizo el Señor, regocijémonos y alegrémonos.

El lunes pasado recibimos a nuestras hermanas de San Antonio y disfrutamos con nosotras su visita. Disfrutamos escuchando sus historias sobre la historia de nuestra Hermana al llegar a Missouri. Este viaje fue todo un éxito con la sorpresa de la presencia de 23 jóvenes asistentes al retiro. Gracias a las familias de la comunidad de St. Lawrence por su apoyo y oraciones.

Seguimos orando por las vocaciones.

Estamos emocionados por un Nuevo año de PSR en San Lorenzo. Vamos a empezar el miércoles 7 de septiembre a las 7pm y domingo 11 de septiembre a las 11am. ¡Bienvenidas Familias! Tenemos 95 inscripciones y esperamos verlos el primer día de PSR.

RECORDATORIO: Confirmación 26 de octubre de 2022

Se recuerda a los nuevos voluntarios y catequistas que completen un formulario de código de conducta.

Pidamos al Espíritu Santo que nos ilumine para una renovación de su santo espíritu. Pedimos orientación y que nos lleve más cerca de Jesús al comenzar este nuevo año de PSR

Bendiciones,
En el Corazón de María,
Hermana Ophelia

Conferencia Diocesana de Liturgia

Se les da la invitación a una Conferencia Diocesana de Liturgia para todos los líderes musicales parroquiales, miembros del coro, músicos, lectores, Ministros Extraordinarios de la Sagrada Comunión, Sacristanes y aquellos interesados en la vida litúrgica de la parroquia el Sábado 17 de septiembre, de 9 a. m. a 2:30 p. m. en Notre Dame Escuela secundaria regional, Cabo Girardeau o Sábado, 5 de noviembre, 9 am-2:30 pm en Holy Trinity Parish, Springfield Cuesta # \$10 por persona e incluye almuerzo. Se requiere inscribirse antes de la conferencia. Para más información comuníquese con Katie Newton al 417-866-0841.



SEPTIEMBRE

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VIGÉSIMO TERCER DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO 2022

LECTURAS DE HOY— 4 de septiembre de 2022 Vigésimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

LOS LÍMITES

Las lecturas de hoy continúan con el tema de la humildad que se exploró el domingo pasado. Las tres lecturas de hoy nos animan a admitir que tenemos límites, y que Dios no tiene ninguno. La conmovedora poesía del libro de la Sabiduría resuena en todos los que alguna vez luchamos por la paz en situaciones que no podemos controlar: “porque un cuerpo corruptible hace pesada el alma y el barro de que estamos hechos entorpece el entendimiento”. San Pablo reconoce sus propias limitaciones, tanto física (está en prisión) y espiritualmente: él no puede obligar a su amigo a obedecer sus deseos; él solamente puede proponer su petición y respetar el libre albedrío de Filemón. En el Evangelio, Jesús nos recuerda que sólo Dios puede completar el bien que deseamos hacer en el mundo. Mientras agradecemos a Dios por los dones que recibimos, y las familias que amamos, reconozcamos que son temporales y que humildemente nos mantengamos cerca de Dios.

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Primera Lectura — ¿Quién puede saber los caminos de Dios a menos que Dios le dé sabiduría y le envíe el Espíritu Santo de lo alto? (Sabiduría 9:13-18b)

Salmo — Señor, tú has sido nuestro refugio de generación en generación (Psalm 90 [89]).

Segunda Lectura — Pablo pide a Filemón que acepte a su esclavo Onésimo como hermano (Filemón 9-10, 12-17).

Evangelio — Para ser discípulo de Jesús uno debe cargar con su cruz (Lucas 14:25-33).

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y júbilo será la vida toda.

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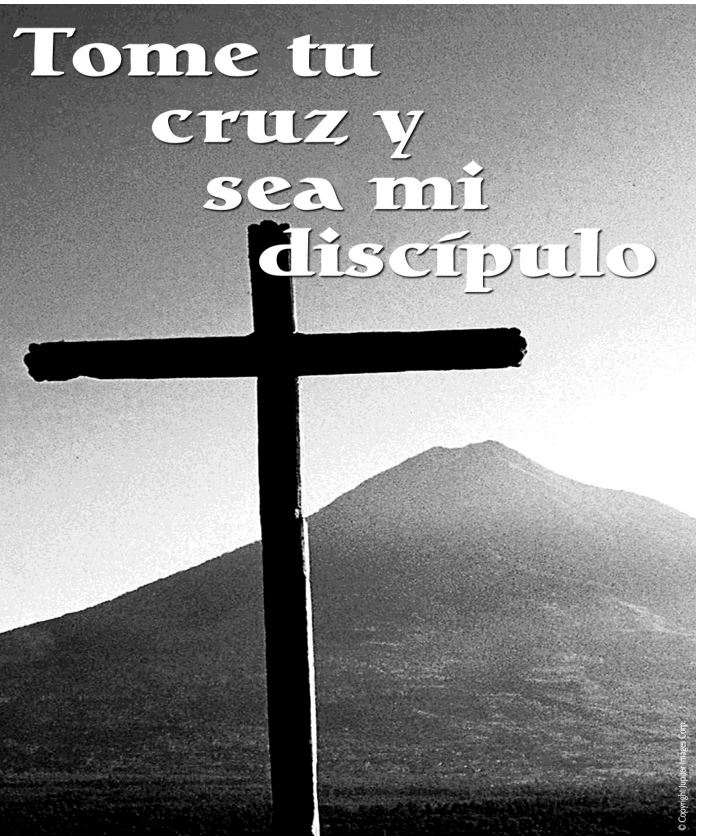
Les hace la cordial invitación los
lunes a las

6:00pm—8:00pm

Iniciamos con el Santo Rosario y
tendermos
meditación sobre la palabra

Confirmación Oct. 2022

Estudiantes de Confirmación en
clase de Nikki, Brett y Dohmen
que regresan para el sacramento,
asegúrese de registrarse el mes
de Agosto. Padres, están invita-
dos a unirse a nuestro equipo los
miércoles por la noche para
ayudar a nuestra juventud. Por
favor, póngase en contacto con la
Hermana Ophelia.



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