

# CLERGY NEWS

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## ILLNESSES

Rev. Patrick Warden, C.S.B., retired, was admitted to Methodist Hospital for pneumonia.

Msgr. Philippe Le Xuan Thuong, pastor of Christ the Incarnate Word Church in Houston, was admitted to the hospital for complications due to a weak immune system and side effects of kidney anti rejection medication.

Please keep all our frail, elderly and infirm priests in your prayers.

## 2011 DATES FOR PRIESTS TO RESERVE

The **Priests' Christmas Party for 2011** is scheduled for Thursday, December 15. Vespers begin at 5:15 p.m. at the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart followed by a reception at Cathedral Center. Place this date on your calendar and plan on attending. Please do not schedule any penance services for that night.

## RETIRED PRIESTS

Please remember the retired priests who reside at the Pope John XXIII Priest Retirement Residence, Maloney Hall and the retirement houses of the religious order priests. These men would benefit greatly from the prayers and periodic visits of their brother priests.

## HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

On back to back occurrence of Sunday and Holy Days, there is a precept of Eucharist participation for each day. However, whenever January 1, the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God, or August 15, the Solemnity of the Assumption, or November 1, the Solemnity of All Saints, falls on a Saturday or on a Monday, the precept to attend Mass is abrogated (NCCB, 11/17/92, Congregation for Bishops, 7/4/92). While the Holy day obligation is automatically abrogated on these days, the liturgy of the feast is still to be celebrated in every parish and institution at a convenient time in such a way that the dignity of the feast is maintained.

## EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

In case of emergency, Msgr. Sheltz can be reached at the following numbers:  
713-524-2876 (home) or  
713-501-2166 (cell)

## NECROLOGY

Please pray for the following priests whose anniversaries of death are during the month of September.

Sept. 1, 1847 Rev. Matthew Chazelle  
 Sept. 1, 1920 Rev. Louis Chaland  
 Sept. 1, 1962 Rev. Peter A. Keane, OMI  
 Sept. 2, 1982 Msgr. A.W. Raye  
 Sept. 2, 1986 Rev. Anthony C. Herndel  
 Sept. 3, 1938 Rev. Thomas Joseph Banfield  
 Sept. 4, 1853 Rev. Joshua Dixon  
 Sept. 5, 1987 Rev. David Leonard  
 Sept. 5, 1995 Msgr. Ismael Teste  
 Sept. 6, 2009 Msgr. James J. Madden  
 Sept. 7, 1867 Rev. John Gonnard  
 Sept. 7, 1922 Rev. James H. Moran  
 Sept. 8, 1900 Rev. T. Keany  
 Sept. 9, 1948 Rev. John C. Bauer, CSR  
 Sept. 9, 1958 Rev. John F. Onorato, CSB  
 Sept. 10, 1985 Rev. Joseph Szymczak  
 Sept. 11, 1863 Rev. Sebastian Augageur  
 Sept. 11, 1965 Rev. Gordian Lewis, CP  
 Sept. 11, 1997 Rev. Patrick Gillgannon  
 Sept. 12, 1969 Msgr. Paul Pieri  
 Sept. 13, 1926 Rev. P.A. Heckman, VF  
 Sept. 13, 1988 Rev. Walter W. Scott, CSB  
 Sept. 15, 2000 Rev. John C. DeForke  
 Sept. 16, 1990 Rev. Juan Escalante  
 Sept. 16, 2007 Rev. Edward A. Bader, CSB  
 Sept. 17, 1973 Msgr. Joseph A. Valenta  
 Sept. 17, 1993 Msgr. Joseph P. O'Sullivan  
 Sept. 18, 1849 Rev. Anthony Chanrion  
 Sept. 18, 1853 Rev. William Melton  
 Sept. 18, 1974 Rev. Charles J. McQuillan  
 Sept. 18, 1996 Rev. Michael F. Krol  
 Sept. 20, 1964 Rev. J.K. Reybaud  
 Sept. 22, 1952 Msgr. J.A. Rapp  
 Sept. 22, 1979 Rev. Joseph W. Pope, CSB  
 Sept. 22, 2001 Rev. James D. Steffes, SCJ  
 Sept. 23, 1956 Rev. Floyd J. Crowley, CSB  
 Sept. 23, 1995 Rev. Donald T. Cooper, CSB  
 Sept. 24, 1966 Rev. John J. Conroy, SSJ  
 Sept. 26, 1955 Rev. Carl J. Kermiel  
 Sept. 26, 1991 Rev. John Walter Caverly, OP  
 Sept. 26, 1992 Rev. Eugene R. Flaherty, OCARM  
 Sept. 27, 1999 Rev. Reginald F. Petrash  
 Sept. 27, 2006 Rev. Enrique Bravo, CSB  
 Sept. 28, 1955 Rev. Timothy J. Sullivan, SSJ  
 Sept. 29, 1853 Rev. Denis O'Driscoll  
 Sept. 29, 1966 Msgr. Daniel P. O'Connell  
 Sept. 29, 1995 Msgr. Leo J. Price  
 Sept. 30, 1911 Rev. John Weimer  
 Sept. 30, 1958 Rev. John F. Lane  
 Sept. 30, 2003 Rev. Joseph B. Courtney, CSB

## UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

The Catholic University of America/ University of St. Thomas Collection is scheduled for the weekend of **September 10-11, 2011**. Please promote this collection in your parish.

## MARRIAGES OUTSIDE THE ARCHDIOCESE

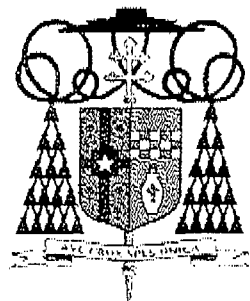
When parishes are preparing couples for a marriage that will take place outside the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston, please be sure to send the completed marriage packet to the chancellor's office approximately one-month before the scheduled wedding date. This is necessary so that the Archdiocese can issue a nihil obstat on the preparation materials and provide a letter granting permission for the couple to be married outside the archdiocese.

To avoid delay, carefully review marriage packets to ensure that all documents are properly executed, signed and that current baptismal certificates issued within 6 months and affidavits of free status (2 each for the bride and groom) are included. A letter from the pastor of the couple to the pastor of the parish where the wedding will take place granting permission for the couple to be married outside the jurisdiction of the parish must also be included.

Some (Arch)dioceses will not allow the wedding to take place if these permission letters are not included in the marriage packet.

## WANTED

The Congregation of the Daughters of Mary, Mother of Mercy is in need of the following items for their convent chapel: a small tabernacle, chalice, small monstrance and albs and vestments. Please contact Sister Hilda at 713-513-1576.



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## Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston

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Office of the Cardinal

August 1, 2011

To: All Pastors

My brother priest:

The combined collection for the University of Saint Thomas and the Catholic University of America is scheduled for the weekend of September 10-11.

The University of Saint Thomas is the only Catholic university in the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. With its Catholic value-centered liberal arts programs, the University of Saint Thomas provides both the education and moral principles to prepare students for a sound professional and familial life. In addition to its central campus, the University of Saint Thomas operates its School of Theology on the grounds of St. Mary's Seminary. Graduate level programs in theology are offered both to those men studying for the ordained priesthood, diaconate, and lay men and women seeking to further their theological education and ministry in the Church. The Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston is blessed to have such a fine Catholic institution in our midst.

The Catholic University of America is the national Catholic university with outstanding departments of theology, biblical studies, canon law, church history and religious education. Grounded in the philosophy of Catholic intellectual tradition, students are well prepared for success in life and ready to make a difference in today's world. This archdiocese and dioceses throughout the country have benefited greatly from the education received from this venerable institution.

Please encourage your parishioners to generously support these two fine Catholic institutions of higher education. Through their support these Catholic universities can continue to provide the high quality Catholic education which is so needed in our city and country today.

Fraternally in Christ,

+ *Daniel Cardinal DiNardo*

Daniel Cardinal DiNardo  
Archbishop of Galveston-Houston

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**Holy Land, Good Friday  
As of July 25, 2011**

#	Parish	2011	#	Parish	2011
7001	St John-Alvin	1,398.00	7370	St Albert	2,342.47
7007	St Stanislaus-Anderson	243.00	7377	St Alphonsus	514.29
7013	Holy Trinity -Angleton	1,932.03	7384	St Ambrose	3,212.18
7025	St Martin-Barrett Station	647.00	7391	St Andrew Kim	685.00
7031	O L Guadalupe-Baytown	796.00	7398	St Anne	7,879.00
7033	St John-Baytown	1,174.00	7405	St Anne de Beaupre	317.00
7037	St Joseph-Baytown	937.00	7412	St Augustine	1,243.47
7043	St Wenceslaus-Beasley	388.36	7419	St Benedict	609.00
7049	Sts Peter/Paul-Bellville	678.50	7426	St Bernadette	2,779.00
7055	St Joseph-Brazoria	380.00	7433	St Catherine	1,439.00
7067	St Andrew-Channelview	1,548.33	7440	St Cecilia	5,354.40
7073	St Jerome-Ciute	632.00	7447	St Charles	1,936.19
7079	Sacred Heart-Conroe	3,818.47	7454	St Christopher	1,590.00
7085	Sacred Heart-Crosby	884.00	7461	St Clare	2,579.67
7091	Sts Cyril/Methodius-Damon	801.00	7468	St Cyril	6,197.00
7097	St Anthony-Danbury	1,133.50	7475	St Dominic	1,374.58
7103	St Hyacinth-Deer Park	2,756.90	7482	St Elizabeth	2,692.00
7109	Shrine/True Cross-Dickinson	3,786.00	7489	St Frances Cabrini	997.50
7125	St Mary Star/Sea-Freepport	1,051.95	7496	St Francis de Sales	1,107.00
7131	Mary, Queen-Friendswood	3,784.82	7503	St Francis Assisi	329.27
7137	St Mary-Frydek/Sealy	740.00	7510	St Francis Xavier	-
7143	O L Fatima-Galena Park	618.50	7517	St Gregory	436.00
7149	Holy Family	6,736.30	7524	St Jerome	1,269.00
7183	St. Katharine Drexel-Hempstead	1,190.00	7531	St John Neumann	2,487.39
7193	St Jude-Highlands	702.00	7537	St John Vianney	13,671.50
7199	O L Lourdes-Hitchcock	1,145.00	7543	St Joseph	454.00
7201	All Saints	2,355.46	7549	St Justin	4,831.99
7207	Annunciation	3,395.38	7555	St Leo	-
7213	Ascension Chinese	898.00	7561	St Luke	4,064.32
7219	Assumption	2,156.17	7567	St Mark	1,323.50
7225	Blessed Sacrament	789.61	7573	St Mary	305.00
7230	Christ/Incarnate Word	-	7579	St Matthew	762.65
7231	Christ the King	1,267.00	7585	St Maximilian	1,744.00
7237	Christ the Redeemer	9,117.30	7591	St Michael	15,040.49
7243	Corpus Christi	1,879.34	7597	St Monica	620.00
7249	Holy Ghost	1,927.22	7603	St Nicholas	315.00
7255	Holy Name	575.50	7609	St Patrick	654.50
7261	Holy Rosary	7,430.92	7615	St Paul	1,692.04
7267	Imm. Conception	710.50	7621	St Peter Claver	58.07
7273	Imm. Heart of Mary	-	7627	St Peter Apostle	445.00
7285	Notro Dame	3,269.09	7634	St Philip Neri	407.69
7291	O L Czestochowa	409.00	7641	St Philip Jesus	2,586.00
7297	O L Guadalupe	1,158.13	7648	St Raphael	1,100.07
7303	O L Lavang	1,312.00	7655	St Rose of Lima	845.00
7306	O L Lourdes	1,019.00	7662	St Stephen	650.00
7309	O L Mt Carmel	703.00	7669	St Theresa	3,846.16
7315	O L Sorrows	350.00	7676	St Thomas More	3,961.00
7321	O L St John	1,077.00	7683	St Vincent de Paul	7,956.85
7327	O L Walsingham	750.00	7690	Vietnamese Martyrs	3,574.00
7333	O L Star of the Sea	-	7696	St Philip-Huffman	1,806.50
7339	O M of Mercy	853.00	7701	St Mary-Humble	4,135.50
7345	Prince of Peace	576.00	7707	St Thomas-Huntsville	1,009.00
7351	Queen of Peace	812.00	7713	Imm. Conception-Industry	852.00
7357	Resurrection	642.00	7723	Epiphany of the Lord-Katy	10,318.15
7363	Sacred Heart Co-Cath	4,791.86	7727	St Bartholomew-Katy	5,045.55

#	Parish	2011
7729	St Edith Stein-Katy	1,035.00
7733	St Martha-Kingwood	7,405.25
7739	Queen of Peace-La Marque	1,320.99
7745	St Mary-La Porte	1,153.00
7751	St Michael-Lake Jackson	1,302.00
7757	St Mary-League City	3,242.50
7769	St Matthias-Magnolia	1,135.10
7775	Sacred Heart/Jesus-Manvel	1,133.67
7781	Holy Family-Mc Nair	484.00
7787	Holy Family-Missouri City	3,548.00
7789	St. Angela Merici	1,927.50
7793	Christ Our Light-Navasota	590.51
7805	St Michael-Needville	1,499.94
7811	St John-New Caney	228.00
7817	St Joseph-New Waverly	653.98
7823	St. Juan Diego-Pasadena	1,268.50
7829	St Pius V-Pasadena	1,556.00
7831	Sacred Heart-Pattison	459.00
7835	St Helen-Pearland	4,665.00
7841	St Mary-Plantersville	1,452.00
7847	St Stephen-Point Blank	297.15
7865	Sacred Heart-Richmond	5,067.00
7869	St John-Richmond	843.27
7873	Holy Rosary-Rosenberg	1,616.40
7879	O L Guadalupe-Rosenberg	1,145.73
7885	Imm Conception-Sealy	1,339.50
7891	O L Grace-South Houston	675.00
7901	Chr/Good Shepherd-Spring	3,075.00
7906	St Edward-Spring	5,471.78
7911	St Ignatius-Spring	6,089.00
7916	St James-Spring	1,412.91
7925	St Joseph-Stoneham	309.00
7931	St Laurence-Sugarland	16,481.69
7937	St Theresa-Sugarland	3,976.49
7946	St Thomas-Sugarland	2,856.36
7951	O L Perpetual Help-Sweeny	359.80
7957	St Mary-Texas City	1,206.00
7963	St Anne-Tomball	1,841.50
7969	Guardian Angel-Wallis	1,179.10
7975	St John the Apostle-W Columbia	154.00
7979	St Anthony-The Woodlands	6,163.00
7981	Sts Simon/Jude-The Woodlands	2,721.00
0000	Other	
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>333,513.70</b>

## Catholic Relief Services

As of July 25, 2011

#	Parish	2011	#	Parish	2011
7001	St John-Alvin	2,694.25	7370	St Albert	2,084.12
7007	St Stanislaus-Anderson	239.00	7377	St Alphonsus	2,307.42
7013	Holy Trinity -Angleton	4,251.38	7384	St Ambrose	-
7025	St Martin-Barrett Station	270.00	7391	St Andrew Kim	3,524.00
7031	O L Guadalupe-Baytown	5,783.00	7398	St Anne	20,316.00
7033	St John-Baytown	4,425.00	7405	St Anne de Beaupre	321.00
7037	St Joseph-Baytown	467.00	7412	St Augustine	1,514.63
7043	St Wencoslaus-Beasley	309.00	7419	St Benedict	1,320.00
7049	Sts Peter/Paul-Bellville	1,367.84	7426	St Bernadette	23,789.25
7055	St Joseph-Brazoria	878.45	7433	St Catherine	6,975.00
7067	St Andrew-Channelview	5,329.92	7440	St Cecilia	10,133.35
7073	St Jerome-Clute	2,257.00	7447	St Charles	4,642.36
7079	Sacred Heart-Conroe	103.00	7454	St Christopher	6,928.50
7085	Sacred Heart-Crosby	2,423.10	7461	St Clare	235.00
7091	Sts Cyril/Methodius-Damon	1,361.00	7468	St Cyril	7,995.00
7097	St Anthony-Danbury	2,168.75	7475	St Dominic	2,166.81
7103	St Hyacinth-Deer Park	5,605.04	7482	St Elizabeth	8,952.51
7109	Shrine/True Cross-Dickinson	3,139.50	7489	St Frances Cabrini	3,659.72
7125	St Mary Star/Sea-Freeport	1,016.96	7496	St Francis de Sales	6,409.78
7131	Mary, Queen-Friendswood	18,477.71	7503	St Francis Assisi	907.01
7137	St Mary-Frydek/Sealy	1,385.37	7510	St Francis Xavier	2,546.42
7143	O L Fatima-Galena Park	2,138.83	7517	St Gregory	2,076.00
7149	Holy Family	8,284.19	7524	St Jerome	12,420.50
7183	St. Katharine Drexel-Hempstead	2,994.70	7531	St John Neumann	4,635.44
7193	St Jude-Highlands	1,038.00	7537	St John Vianney	7,991.00
7199	O L Lourdes-Hitchcock	5,778.50	7543	St Joseph	1,170.00
7201	All Saints	3,261.00	7549	St Justin	3,661.03
7207	Annunciation	4,554.00	7555	St Leo	-
7213	Ascension Chinese	599.00	7561	St Luke	9,912.41
7219	Assumption	3,324.03	7567	St Mark	-
7225	Blessed Sacrament	1,302.81	7573	St Mary	437.00
7230	Christ/Incarnate Word	9,092.00	7579	St Matthew	2,056.64
7231	Christ the King	2,455.00	7585	St Maximilian	8,680.90
7237	Christ the Redeemer	21,559.96	7591	St Michael	31,200.78
7243	Corpus Christi	5,515.74	7597	St Monica	860.34
7249	Holy Ghost	7,364.42	7603	St Nicholas	106.00
7255	Holy Name	2,184.00	7609	St Patrick	977.00
7261	Holy Rosary	9,788.19	7615	St Paul	10,686.19
7267	Imm. Conception	2,359.50	7621	St Peter Claver	-
7273	Imm. Heart of Mary	2,000.00	7627	St Peter Apostle	406.00
7285	Notre Dame	8,539.51	7634	St Philip Neri	325.18
7291	O L Czestochowa	385.00	7641	St Philip Jesus	1,469.00
7297	O L Guadalupe	-	7648	St Raphael	895.65
7303	O L Lavang	6,931.00	7655	St Rose of Lima	4,377.37
7306	O L Lourdes	7,127.00	7662	St Stephen	364.24
7309	O L Mt Carmel	2,020.00	7669	St Theresa	5,523.46
7315	O L Sorrows	510.00	7676	St Thomas More	15,283.00
7321	O L St John	3,674.98	7683	St Vincent de Paul	12,964.52
7327	O L Walsingham	3,395.00	7690	Vietnamese Martyrs	10,266.00
7333	O L Star of the Sea	-	7696	St Philip-Huffman	4,040.92
7339	O M of Mercy	1,522.00	7701	St Mary-Humble	6,523.50
7345	Prince of Peace	5,970.77	7707	St Thomas-Huntsville	2,867.00
7351	Queen of Peace	2,025.00	7713	Imm. Conception-Industry	650.50
7357	Resurrection	1,938.00	7723	Epiphany of the Lord-Katy	25,496.00
7363	Sacred Heart Co-Cath	7,432.08	7727	St Bartholomew-Katy	11,210.58

#	Parish	2011
7729	St Edith Stein-Katy	5,976.50
7733	St Martha-Kingwood	20,250.25
7739	Queen of Peace-La Marque	1,864.25
7745	St Mary-La Porte	4,013.00
7751	St Michael-Lake Jackson	8,453.00
7757	St Mary-League City	20,830.89
7769	St Matthias-Magnolia	3,773.70
7775	Sacred Heart/Jesus-Manvel	4,170.97
7781	Holy Family-Mc Nair	601.00
7787	Holy Family-Missouri City	4,968.35
7789	St. Angela Merici	5,576.25
7793	Christ Our Light-Navasota	947.12
7805	St Michael-Needville	1,993.00
7811	St John-New Caney	740.00
7817	St Joseph-New Waverly	2,596.58
7823	St. Juan Diego-Pasadena	1,547.00
7829	St Pius V-Pasadena	4,234.45
7831	Sacred Heart-Pattison	619.50
7835	St Helen-Pearland	14,408.00
7841	St Mary-Plantersville	8,407.02
7847	St Stephen-Point Blank	962.00
7865	Sacred Heart-Richmond	12,002.50
7869	St John-Richmond	1,675.84
7873	Holy Rosary-Rosenberg	11,981.50
7879	O L Guadalupe-Rosenberg	3,482.65
7885	Imm Conception-Sealy	3,556.14
7891	O L Grace-South Houston	263.00
7901	Chr/Good Shepherd-Spring	9,809.50
7906	St Edward-Spring	10,982.50
7911	St Ignatius-Spring	24,741.00
7916	St James-Spring	1,128.51
7925	St Joseph-Stoneham	-
7931	St Laurence-Sugarland	22,990.56
7937	St Theresa-Sugarland	11,047.68
7946	St Thomas-Sugarland	10,664.71
7951	O L Perpetual Help-Sweeny	501.77
7957	St Mary-Texas City	2,231.00
7963	St Anne-Tomball	5,084.50
7969	Guardian Angel-Wallis	1,380.31
7975	St John the Apostle-W Columbia	266.35
7979	St Anthony-The Woodlands	17,994.25
7981	Sts Simon/Jude-The Woodlands	19,774.66
0000	Other	0.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>817,370.36</b>