



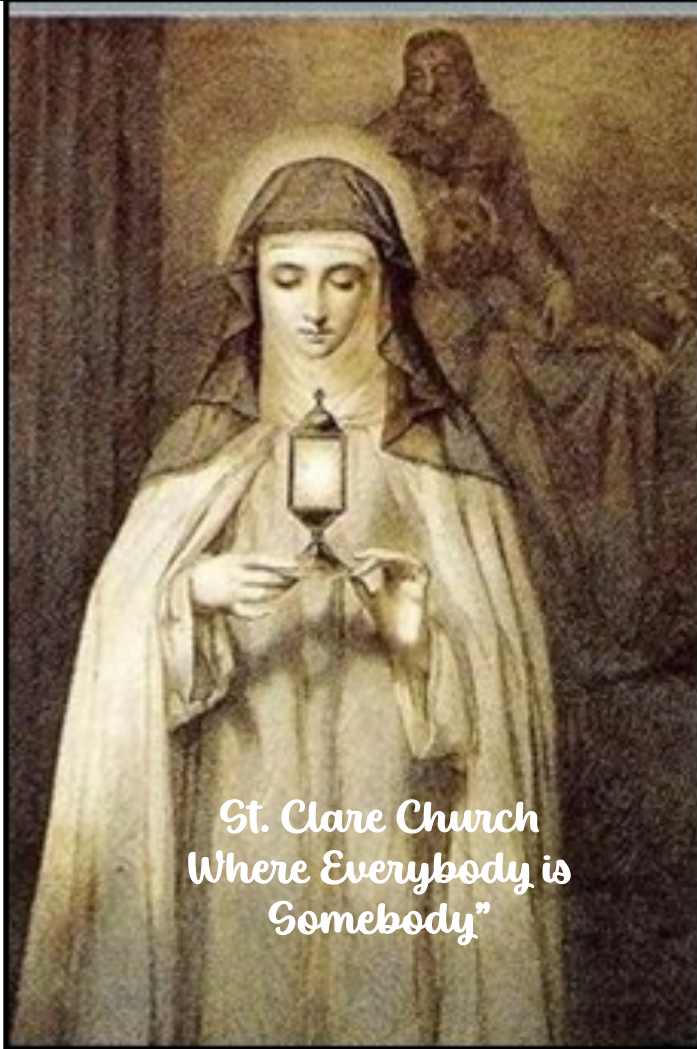
St. Clare Church

7701 Somerset Rd. San Antonio, Texas 78211
Parish Office: (210) 924-5252; Fax No.(210) 924-1613
Alternative Number: (210) 775-8458

Parish Website: www.stclaresatx.net;
Parish Center Website: www.stclarehall.info
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Archdiocese of San Antonio
“Where Everybody is Somebody...”
Welcome to Our Parish
Bienvenidos a Nuestra Parroquia
September 3 & 4, 2022

Pastor: Fr. Richard M. Samour—pastor@stclaresatx.net
Deacon: Rev. Mr. Gilbert Maldonado
and Rev. Mr. Alfred Gaona



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PARISH STAFF

Bookkeeper: Emma Medellin; stclchurch@att.net;
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Secretary: Eduardo Garcia. claredesk@yahoo.com
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Office Staff: Pat Cavazos and Herminia Alonso
Custodians: Cecilia García and Chebo Márquez

OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday:
9:00am—5:00pm. Closed: 12:30pm-1:30pm
Wednesdays and Fridays: 9:00am-1:00pm.
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SACRAMENTS

Baptism Preparation—Parents are to call Parish Office
to register for Baptismal preparation classes.
Sacrament of reconciliation: Saturday 3:30p.m-4:30p.m.
Thursdays 5:15pm-6:30pm
or during the week by Appt. Only

Please call the parish center to schedule personal
appointments with Fr. Richard Samour
Marriage Preparation—Contact Priest six months before
the proposed date.

**NEW PARISHIONERS ARE ALWAYS
WELCOME. PLEASE REGISTER AT THE
PARISH OFFICE.**

Hall Rentals: For More information visit:
www.stclarehall.info or call the Office (210) 924-5252
Weekly and weekend Rentals.

VISION OF ST. CLARE CHURCH

- Promoting the Catholic faith with its beliefs and values.
- Celebrating the richness of Our Catholic tradition alive in this community of faith.
- Making members of our parish and Church community welcome.
- Grounded in the Eucharist, we embrace Diversity among persons, cultures and Apostolates, and foster the bonds of charity that reflect the Trinitarian relationship of God, creating a culture of communion.

LITURGY SCHEDULE/

HORARIO DE LAS LITURGIAS

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 pm (English) Vigil Mass;
Sunday 8:30 am (Spanish); 10:30 am (English);
WEEKLY MASSES/MISAS EN LA SEMANA
Monday 8:00am—and Thursday 8:00am English
Español: Miércoles 8:00am seguido de Adoración hasta las 6:00pm; Viernes 8:00am.

Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time-Vigésimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario



The Parish Pastoral Council (PPC)
It is the highest consultative and pastoral body in the parish, which, working closely with the parish priest, plans, organizes, coordinates, implements, monitors and evaluates the pastoral programs and activities of the parish. It is a representative body of the different areas, groups, and organizations within the parish; and also a ministerial body where parish services and activities are carried out through the different ministries and support groups.

Pastoral Council August 29, 2022 @ 6:30 pm
Present: Belinda & David Gonzales, Norma Alvarado, Linda & Gilbert Chavez, Maria Victoria Perez, Office Staff: Emma Medellin-Bookkeeper, Eduardo Garcia, Maria C. Gonzales (Secretary) and Fr. Richard Samour.
New President: Belinda Gonzales

Ministries Report: All ministries reports were turned in from the following: Teresa Arredondo, **ACTS**; Lydia Castillo, **Guadalupanas**; Vicky Perez, **Senior Program**; Gloria Valdez, **Altar Society**; Maria Gonzales, **Faith Formation Program and Synod Process**; Dcn. Alfred Gaona—**Youth Group**; **Knights of Columbus Deserted**.

COVID Protocols: Fr. Richard discussed the COVID Protocols established by the Archdiocese. Pastoral Council agreed to allow the parishioners to make a decision whether to wear a mask or not to wear a mask. A quick survey will be presented to the parish during the mass for the next two weekends.

Knights of Columbus: Jesse Basaldua has stepped down as Grand Knight due to health issues


Friends of St. Clare, Hall Rentals: Eduardo Garcia. is looking into TABC certification programs that will get everyone who is involved with the concession stand re-certified; more information to come. A temporary license can be acquired when and if needed, for future events.

Youth Group: Fr Richard addressed the necessity to have a solid Youth group and Religious Ed program. Also a recommendation to Fr. Richard was to add Lidia Castillo and Gloria Valdez as new members.



Prayer after Mass: 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.

Oración después de la Misa: San Miguel Arcángel, defiéndenos en la batalla. Sé nuestro amparo contra la perversidad y acechanzas del demonio. Que Dios manifieste sobre él su poder, es nuestra humilde súplica. Y tú, oh Príncipe de la Milicia Celestial, con el poder que Dios te ha conferido, arroja al infierno a Satanás, y a los demás espíritus malignos que vagan por el mundo para la perdición de las almas. Amén.

Days/Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday, Sept. 3 5:00 p.m.	†Salvador Garza, †Alice Garcia †Esteban Z. Viera, †Juanita U. Viera, †Evangeline V. Peña, †Daniel A. Viera, †Herman Sanchez (HEALTH) Mary Jane Guerra, Steve Viera Jr., Evelyn Trinidad, Nadine Rios, Olivia Quintanilla, Jesus Moreno, Katherine Macias
Sunday, Sept. 4 8:30 a.m.	†Senon Huizar (Salud) Mario Torres, Dora Ortiz, Margarito Arriaga, Healey Ibarra, Annette Jimenez
Sunday, Sept. 4 10:30 a.m.	Birthday Nelson Samour; Carlos Samour Health: Maria Hernandez; Maria Rodriguez Angel Vega, Adrianna Chavez
	Todos los Martes 11:00am Fr. Richard en Virgen de Guadalupe Radio, No te lo pierdas
Monday, Sept. 5	8:00am—English Mass
Miércoles, Sept. 7 8:00am	Misa seguido de Adoración hasta las 6:00pm (Confesiones 4pm-5pm)
Thursday, Sept. 8 8:00am	For the sanctification of all Priests and Deacons
Viernes, Sept. 9 8:00 a.m.	Misa en Español Por todos los Parroquianos de Santa Clara

Religious Education Registration

Faith Formation Starts: The Faith Formation Program will start on September 11, 2022 with a Parent and child meeting. Parents, please make arrangements to attend the first class with your children. Important information will be given at this time along with the Faith Formation Calendar. If you have any questions, please call me during regular business hours or text me on my cell phone. Thank you all for being a part of your child's faith formation journey.

Comienza la formación en la fe: El Programa de Formación de Fe comenzará el 11 de septiembre de 2022 con una reunión de padres e hijos. Padres, por favor hagan arreglos para asistir a la primera clase con sus hijos. Se dará información importante en este momento junto con el Calendario de Formación en la Fe. Si tiene alguna pregunta, llámeme durante el horario comercial habitual o envíeme un mensaje de texto a mi teléfono celular. Gracias a todos por ser parte del viaje de formación en la fe de su hijo.



Pope Francis said:

**"Being a Catechist
is a Vocation"**

SCRIPTURE READING FOR THE WEEK

Monday, Sept. 5, 2022—Monday of the Twenty Third Week in Ordinary Time—Readings: 1 Corinthians 5:1-8; Psalm 5:5-6, 7, 12; Luke 6:6-11

Tuesday, Sept. 6, 2022—Tuesday of the Twenty Third Week in Ordinary Time—Readings: 1 Corinthians 6:1-11; Psalm 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Luke 6:12-19

Wednesday, Sept. 7, 2022—Wednesday of the Twenty Third Week in Ordinary Time—Readings: 1 Corinthians 7:25-31; Psalm 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17; Luke 6:20-26

Thursday, Sept. 8, 2022—Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary—Readings: Micah 5:1-4a or Romans 8:28-30; Psalm 13:6ab, 6c; Matthew 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23

Friday, Sept. 9, 2022 —Memorial of Saint Peter Claver, Priest: Readings: 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22B-27; Psalm 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12; Luke 6:39-42



**Weekly Offering /
Ofrenda de la
Semana
August 27 & 28, 2022**

Mass Time	Attendance	Offering
5:00 pm	87	\$991.63
8:30 am	94	\$564.00
10:30AM	80	\$803.00
Total	271	\$2,358.63



Process of Annulment: What does invalid marriage mean? A declaration of nullity does not occur until after an extensive investigation, which proves that a putative marriage was in fact invalid. What is investigated is whether a valid marriage bond was created at the time of consent. A declaration of nullity is not a divorce; it is a statement that the bond of marriage, as it is understood by the Church, was never created.

The process evaluates and examines the marriage for the necessary elements of a valid union: permanence, fidelity, true companionship and love of the spouses, and openness to bearing and educating children.

The tribunal seeks to determine if there was anything which pre-vented those elements from being present from the beginning, or if one or both spouses were unable to enter into a valid union due to physical, psychological or circumstantial causes. A declaration of nullity does not dissolve a bond which already exists, but declares that the bond did not exist.

Proceso de Nulidad del Sacramento: ¿Qué significa matrimonio inválido? Una declaración de nulidad no ocurre hasta después de una investigación extensa, que prueba que un matrimonio putativo era de hecho inválido. Lo que se investiga es si se creó un vínculo matrimonial válido en el momento del consentimiento. Una declaración de nulidad no es un divorcio; es una afirmación de que el vínculo del matrimonio, tal como lo entiende la Iglesia, nunca fue creado.

El proceso evalúa y examina el matrimonio en cuanto a los elementos necesarios de una unión válida: permanencia, fidelidad, verdadero compañerismo y amor de los cónyuges, y disponibilidad para tener y educar a los hijos.

Second Collection: \$411.25—Parish Needs
Doors Project: \$ 1,495.00 Thank you. Total of the project: 10 doors (Church and rectory) locks and labor: \$2,000.00
AC Maintenance: church and replacement of the Thermostats of the Office: \$950.00

En Nombre de Lidia Castillo, Maria "La Madrina" Galvan, la sra. Clarita quien dono la Olla, la Sociedad de las Guadalupeanas deseamos darles las gracias por el apoyo a la rifa de la olla se recolectaron: \$783.00

**Southwest Urban Deanery
Catechist Retreat**

**Volunteers
needed**



Theme: "This is my body given for you"
Luke 22:19
Where: St. Clare Catholic Church
7701 Somerset Rd
San Antonio, Texas 78211
When: Saturday, September 17

St. Clare will be hosting this year's Southwest Deanery Catechetical Retreat! This year's bilingual retreat will be Saturday, September 17, 8:30am-3:00pm. We are looking for volunteers to help as Greeters, Hospitality and Parking Safety. If you are interested in donating your time and need more information, please contact Maria C. Gonzales in the Faith Formation Office.

September 10 & 11, 2022		
MASS/MISA	LECTORS/LECTORES	EXT. MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION MINISTROS EXT. SAGRADA COMUNIÓN
5:00pm Vigil Mass	Lupita and San Juanita Ramirez	Cindy Ortega, Doris Minjares
8:30am Spanish	Maria Ballesteros Hector Galván	Gloria Valdez, Maria Galvan
10:30am English	Gilbert and Linda Chavez	Marco and Charlotte Serna