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Rev. Jose Raphy Ambooken 881-4781 ext. 212 Rev. Daniel Sessions fathersessions@holyspirithsv.com 882-1132

Deacon Bob Becher, Deacon Louis Citrano, Deacon Lee Heckman, Deacon Tony Moreno, Deacon Mike Sudnik

> Korean Catholic Community 867-1679 Rev. John the Baptist Lee Deacon Matthew Koh

MASS SCHEDULE/HORARIO

Saturday/Sabado 5:00 PM Sunday/Domingo 7:30, 9:00 & 11:45 AM

Reconciliation/Confesiones

5:00-7:00 PM Wednesdays 3:00-4:45 PM Saturday & by appointment.

Weekday/día de semana

Monday/Lunes7:30 AM, 12:00 NoonTuesday/Martes7:30 AM, 12:00 NoonWednesday/Miercoles7:30 AM, 7:00 PMThursday/Jueves7:30 AM, 12:00 NoonFriday/Viernes7:30 AM

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

6:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, 6:00 PM (Bilingual) 7:30 PM

HOSPITAL CARE

If you or a member of your family are sick or in the hospital and need Deacon Mike Sudnik, please call him at 604-3374. If you need a Priest, you may call Fr. Daniel at 882-1132 or Fr. Jose at 881-4781 ext 212, **day or night**.



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PARISH ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF/OFICINA 8:00 AM-4:30 PM Monday/Lunes-Thursday/Jueves 8:00 AM-1:00 PM Friday/Viernes

Administrative Assistant Mary Walker *ext.* 0

THE HOLY SPIRIT BOOKSTORE IS OPEN DURING PARISH OFFICE HOURS

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Sacred Music and LiturgyAnne Vasile881-4781ext. 219Religious Education881-0345ext 223Youth MinistryLori Lai882-6483

KOREAN MASS

Sunday at 4:00PM in Holy Spirit Church Wednesday~Saturday 10:00AM in the Korean Rectory

HISPANIC MINISTRY/MINISTERIO HISPANO

The Hispanic Ministry Office is located in the Parish Life Center next to the Nursery. It is open Monday through Thursday 9:00 am to 4:30 pm, and Friday 9:00 am to 1 pm. 256-881-2211.

Hispanic Community Mass Children/Adult Catechism Baptismal Preparation Classes Sundays 2:00, 6:30 PM Sundays 12:00 PM -1:30 PM One Sunday a month. Please see Hispanic Bulletin or call the Office

Nuestra Comunidad Hispana celebra la Santa Misa todos los domingos a las 2:00 y a las 6:30 pm. Catecismo (Ninos/Adultos) cada domingo a las 12:00 pm y Clases de Bautismo en español- un domingo al mes.

HOLY SPIRIT REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL



256-881-4852

SAINT JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL



256-430-1760



WELCOME!...to our parishioners and to our visitors.

HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH...

...invites everyone to "...full, conscious, and active participation" in the sacred liturgy. We hope you will join us in lifting our hearts and voices to God!

THE VESTIBULE...

...is the place for meeting old friends and greeting visitors! Reverence and quiet are expected in the church! Please turn off cell phones and beepers.

AT HOLY COMMUNION...

... it is appropriate to make a sign of reverence, a bow or a genuflection, before you receive Communion. To maintain the flow of the Communion procession, please make the sign of reverence while the person in front of you receives Communion. If you choose to receive Holy Communion in your hand, please do not reach for the host, but present your palm, flat out and high enough to receive Communion. Intinction is not permitted.

PLEASE JOIN US!

If you attend Holy Spirit Church on a regular basis (in person or virtually) and have not registered with our Parish, we invite you to do so. Please call the Church Office and if you leave a message, someone will contact you to help with the registration.

EMAIL UPDATES PLEASE!!!

Please email <u>cbender@holyspirithsv.com</u>, with your name and updated email address, so our database can be kept current.. We only use email to notify you of something important.

Bulletins are available online at holyspirithsv.com

LECTORS December 7/8

5:00p RJ Sollohub (OT) — B. Dineen (NT)
7:30a L. Brunegraff (OT) — C. Holden (NT)
9:00a P. Anderson (OT) — B. Butler (NT)
11:45a Youth Mass
LECTORS December 14/15
5:00p A. Brocato (OT) — B. Joly (NT)
7:30a M. DeMaioribus (OT) — J. Gallardo (NT)
9:00a K. Frew (OT) — J. Wilson (NT)
11:45a Youth Mass

Purificator Laundering December 8: Maria Quinonez December 15: Julie Kellogg

Altar Duty: December 6/7: Donna Dery & Liz O'Halloran December 13/14: Kelly Escorpizo & Diana Prue

Weekly Mass Intentions: December 9 – 15

Monday	6:30 AM	†	Leonard Ames, Jr.
Solemnity of the	9:00 AM	†	Marie & Ed Csar
Immaculate	12:00 PM	†	Sally Owings
Conception	6:00 PM	†	Phyllis Filpi
	7:30 PM	†	Salud Francisco Mendez
			Zurita
Tuesday	7:30 AM	†	Deacon Larry Sisterman
	12:00 PM	†	Lauren Deysher
Wednesday	7:30 AM	†	Aiden Higdon
	11:00 PM		Gambino Mendez Orocio
Thursday	7:30 AM		Steve McGovern
Our Lady of Guadalupe	12:00 PM	†	Howie Splete
F-	7:00 PM		Maria Regina Ortiz
Friday	7:30 AM	†	Robert Damian
	9:00 AM		Josephine Dooley
Saturday	5:00 PM	†	Tom and Doris Pape
Sunday	7:30 AM		Parishioners
	9:00 AM	t	Judi Carpenter
	11:45 AM	†	Mary Holden
	2:00 PM	†	Efren Zurita Garcia
	6:30 PM	†	Maria Magdalena Martinez

As you prayerfully discern a year-end gift, kindly consider offering your gift in memory of a loved one.

Through the Parish Online Giving Program you can make a one-time or recurring Honorarium or Memorial Gift.



To give online, follow the QR Code or go to <u>Holy Spirit Online Giving –Memorials</u>

THE WEEKLY OFFERING NOV. 30- DEC. 1

Weekly Offertory	\$ 32,690.42	
Development Fund	\$ 7,518.98	
St. Vincent de Paul Society	\$ 510.43	
Bishop's 2025 Appeal Pledges to date (goal \$300,000)	\$ 220,102.65	

Our Week at a Glance

Today December 8	Scouts selling wreaths after Masses	
Monday	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception	
December 9	6:30p OCIA –AB	
Tuesday	10:00a Funeral Mass-John Wolfsberger	
December 10	7:30p K of C 4th Degree –ER	
Wednesday	1:00p Seasons of Hope –LIB	
December 11	No 7:00P Mass Today	
Thursday December 12	Our Lady of Guadalupe 6:15a TMIY –PLC 6:30p SVDP Meeting—MP	
Friday	6-8p Parent's Night Out –YR	
December 13	6:30p Bridge –PLC	
Saturday December 14		
Sunday December 15	K of C Breakfast –PLC	

Our Parish News

Rest ín Peace! John Wolfsberger Rev. Dennis Conway, grandson of Larry Richards



New Parishioners

The Wholean family of Huntsville The Hagen Family of Owens Cross Roads



Please pray for all our sick and homebound

Mary Bircher Margaret Eskew Gordon Fowlkes Jim Kellogg Sandra Krebs Florence Lee Jeff Rathz Gale Sparks Randall Tedder



PANCAKEBREAKFAST! Sunday, December 15th 8:30 am —11:00 am

Pancakes, Scrambled Eggs, Hash-brown Casserole, Bacon, Biscuits and Gravy. **NO CHARGE!!** *Donations accepted and appreciated!* Sponsored by our Knights of Columbus Council 764.



The Morning Mass Group Christmas Breakfast Tuesday, December 10th In the Parish Life Center following the 7:30am Mass.

It will be a pot-luck this year so get out your favorite breakfast recipe and join the fun. Questions and sign up: Contact Carol at <u>chapuranal@gmail.com</u>. Everyone is welcome!



The Nursery will be closed Sunday, December 22nd & 29th for Christmas.

With grateful hearts we offer sincere thanks to all the volunteers who gave of their time to help prepare and serve the Parish Thanksgiving Meal.

Lora Valentine Josie Verting Peggy & Ed Maine Jose Ariaga Mary Chaffee Karen Smith Phyl & Dave Hill Karen Owens Sheila Dyas

WE

Barbara DeHaye Katrina & Jim Hall Patti & Mark Jeude Noah Webster Mary & Dick Kemp Barbara Daniel Mary Kay & Bob North John Ofenloch Drew Cartee Teresa & Don Kimminau Patti & Chuck Anderson Kris Castillo Patrick Lagasse Brian Lagasse Lorraine Bordeaux Katie Huhlein Mary Morgan Gusan Dunbar Pam Ver Planck Sonia & Chris Nelson Tom White Paula Steigerwald Matt Hale Sam Hale Kyle Becher Romero Lopez Youth Volunteers

May the Lord reward you for your kindness.



Knights of Columbus #764

Together, we're empowering Catholic men to live their faith at home, in their parish, at work and in their community.

Visit **kofc.org/joinus** to learn more about the many benefits of membership in the Knights of Columbus.

Holy Spirit Ladies Auxiliary



The Holy Spirit Ladies Auxiliary promotes friendship among members and participates in charitable, church, community and family activities while having fun. We would love for you to

ioin us!

Our only requirement for membership is that you are a Catholic woman 18 or older. Register using this link https://forms.gle/N8T4bWGXgda3PkfB7, the QR code, or come to a meeting and complete a paper form.

Meetings are on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7PM in the Parish Life Center A/B room, snacks are provided!



2024-2025 Scholarship Opportunity

The State Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary is offering a \$1,000 scholarship this year to a catholic woman to continue her education. See the links below for the Application requirements and application deadlines (in both English and Spanish).

Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship Info (English)

Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship Info (Spanish)



Meals on Wheels needs subs once a month for a route.

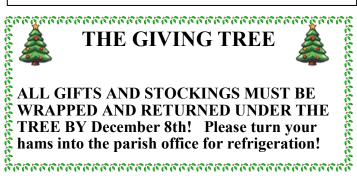
The Holy Spirits Meals on Wheels team needs your support. Please help by volunteering to be a substitute. Contact the parish office for more information.

Somewhere in this Bulletin a needle is hiding... See if you can find it! December 1—In the Giving Tree box

Society of St. Vincent dePaul

FOOD The food pantry is in need of PANTRY canned fruit. Donations

Thank you for your generosity.



NEW MEN'S FAITH SHARING GROUP Sunday Mornings from 10:15-11:30am **Beginning in January 2025**

The group will focus on the Ten Commandments as presented and explained in the Catechism by Fr. Mike Schmitz for Ascension Press. Saint Joseph is our patron. He stepped out in total Faith.



CATHOLIC COMMUNITY NEWS

The Reunion Choir will meet in the choir room and sing for the 5PM Mass on December 21st!

Contact Marjorie Arnston for more information Marjorie@arnston.net. ALL ARE WELCOME!

> Click the link to practice Ave Maria (F. Biebl)

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel Sign up online for a Holy Hour at:

Holy Spirit - Huntsville, AL - AdorationPro.



Adorers are needed: Wednesday 12 AM (Midnight) Thursday 4 PM Saturday 4 Pm

New Adorers are always needed and welcome!

Seasons of Hope Grief Support Group

Seasons of Hope will meet Wednesdays, December 4th, 11th & 18th at 1:00 pm in the Parish Library.



Please call Kathy Heckman at 489-7389 for information.



THE WIDOWS & WIDOWERS POTLUCK CHRISTMAS PARTY Thursday, Dec 12, 2024

Social begins at 11:15am, lunch at noon, at the VILLAS OF JONES VALLEY CLUBHOUSE,1 Valley Way Circle (off Four Mile Post Road, near where a new fitness center is being built).

Call Cathy 256-489-7111 with your reservation and advise what dish you would like to contribute to our wonderful lunch.

Enjoy the fun with a wrapped unisex gift, approximately \$15 value, for our "Dirty Santa" gift exchange, if you want to join in. A \$3 donation is requested for the ham, etc.

Please come, you'll have lots of fun and see old and new friends. Newcomers are always welcome.



Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament 25th Anniversary Celebration DECEMBER 19, 2024 7:00am-4:00pm Join us on Thursday, December 19, 2024 as we

celebrate our 25th Anniversary Click the link below for information:

Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament 25th Anniversary



Religious Education

256-881-0345 dre@holyspirithsv.com

Sunday Religious Education Classes for Children

Ages 4 through 12th grade meet from 10:15-11:30am during the school year. Contact the Religious Ed. Office for more information.





If you are interested in becoming Catholic please contact the Parish Office at 256-881-4781 ext 100 or email OCIA@holyspirithsv.com

RCIA / OCIA Alumni and Friends Monthly Gathering

All RCIA / OCIA students, alumni, sponsors and friends are warmly invited to our recurring monthly gathering. We will start with Adoration in the Adoration Chapel from 6 - 7 pm, and then go out for dinner and fellowship.

Mark your calendar for the following date: December 20th

Questions? Contact Michelle Southerland at 256.527.6558. We can't wait to see you!



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THE GIFT OF GIVING

Holy Spirit will be collecting donations for Christmas packages for indigent inmates of the Limestone County Correctional Facility who have no family in the area to support them.

A container will be in the side part of the vestibule of the Church for collecting donations through the 16th of December. Only certain items will be allowed per prison rules. Please see the list below.

Food Items

Flavors

Cakes

Cases of Snack Crackers -Assorted Flavors

Ramen Noodles Soups

Honey Buns/Snack

Cases of Chips -Assorted

Candy Bars/Hard Candy

Hygiene Products

- * Deodorant
- Shampoo/Body Wash (clear bottles)
- * Tooth Paste
- * Tooth Brushes
- * Bars of Soap
- * Clear Barrel Pens
- * Envelopes
- * Stamps

From the Librarian...



The library is open for one hour after the noon Mass on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday and after the 11:45 on Sunday.

Continuing with newly donated books in the display section this week and in the Rosary section O6 next week.

"The Rosary of Pope John Paul II – The 20 Mysteries", 64 pages.

"The Rosary of St. John Paul II – Meditations, Prayers and Practical Aids", by Tom Hoopes, 112 pages.

"A Rosary Litany", by Fr. Edward Looney, 103 pages.

"Why the Rosary, Why Now?", by Gretchen R. Crowe, 156 pages.

"Rosary Meditations for Real Life", by James M. Hahn, 183 pages.

"Praying the Rosary Like Never Before – Encounter the Wonder of Heaven and Earth", by Edward Sri, 192 pages.

Books can be donated or returned to the Parish Office.



Liturgy of the Hours, Morning Prayer 7AM The Rosary after the 7:30 AM Mass





Youth Ministry Contact Information Ilai@holyspirithsv.com Office: 256-882-6483/cell: 256-642-9508

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High School Youth Group

Sunday Nights Social Time 5:30-6,

Dinner & Meeting 6-8 pm in the Youth Room

Dinner Provided

Open to 9th-12th grade teens Schedule is online https://holyspirithsv.com/youth/high-school-youth-group/ Call, text or email with any questions llai@holyspirithsv.com 256-642-9508

LOOKING FOR SPONSORS!

Steubenville 2025

Would you like to make a difference in the life of a teen? Consider sponsoring a teen to attend this conference. For further information, please reach out to our Director of Youth Ministry, Lori Lai at llai@holyspirithsv.com or call, 256-642-9508.

You may also donate online by following this QR code:



Middle School Youth Group

Open to Current 6th/7th and 8th Graders!

Two Wednesdays each month

Dinner and Meeting 5:15-7:00pm

Next Meeting Dates:

12/18 (Christmas Party)

Schedule and forms are up on our youth group website: https://holyspirithsv.com/youth/middle-school-youth-

groups/

Follow us on Facebook: Holy Spirit Huntsville Youth Ministry or Instagram: @hsyghsv



Are you college-aged ?

Get Connected:

uahccm.org catholicministry@uah.edu discord.gg/DpHER5K Instagram/Facebook: @uahccm



256-881-4852 https://hstigers.org/

As we enter into this season of gratitude and generosity, please prayerfully consider making a donation to **Holy Spirit School's EXTENDED GIVINGTUESDAY** campaign. All gifts will gratefully go to tuition assistance and facility upgrades.





TUESDAY

Please visit our giving page! <u>Click Here!</u>

Holy Spirit School is hiring **substitute teachers**. Please send resume to Mrs. Cathy Jodon at <u>cjodon@hstigers.org</u>.





Saint John Paul II Catholic High School 256-430-1760 www.jp2falcons.org JPII Admissions for the 2025-2026 School Year are Open!

Visit <u>www.jp2falcons.org/admissionsprocess</u> to learn more about our new admissions process and timeline, or contact our Admissions office at 256-430-1760 (ext. 117) or <u>admissions@jp2falcons.org</u> for more information.

The GIVE Campaign - "Giving Impacts Valuable Education" End of Year appeal provides support to help offset the cost of tuition for families in need. Your contribution to The GIVE Campaign ensures we continue to serve those who would be unable to receive a Catholic education without your assistance. The GIVE Campaign runs from Giving Tuesday, December 3 through Tuesday, December 31. Please find ways to donate on our website, <u>www.JP2falcons.org</u> under Support JPII – GIVE Campaign.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements for weddings must be made six months in advance with our priests. A Marriage Preparation Class is required.

Baptism Preparation Class

Please call Deacon Lee Heckman for information, 256-714-7027

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you are ill and would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick and/or the Eucharist please contact the parish office to make arrangements. Contact parish office prior to hospitalization, surgery or during illness.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #764

Grand Knight

Chris Karigan 256-509-3299 www.KofC764.com

Parish Ministries & Contact Persons

ADMINISTRATIVE

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Adopt-A-Plot	Cathy White		316-5605	
Money Counters	Pat Carrigan		882-1911	
-	Connie Robert		882-0033	
Pastoral Council	Jon Hollihan		882-2666	
Print Shop	Jon Duerr	ext 211	881-4781	
KNIGHTS OF COLUM	IBUS			
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Ladies Aux764@holyspirithsv.com				
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HISPANIC OFFICE				
Hispanic Ministry Coordina	tor Maria Jose Boni	illa ext 22	5 881-4781	
Hispanic Ministry Office	Magalis Justinia	no	881-2211	
Hispanic Rel. Ed. Coordina	tor Mayra Solares	ext. 23	5 881-4781	
MUSIC				
Adult Choirs and				
St. Cecilia Choir	Anne Vasile	ext. 219	881-4781	
St. Gregory Youth Choir	Marjorie Arnston	ext. 219	881-4781	
Youth Mass Ensemble	John Onder		hstigers.org	
LITURGY				

Altar Guild	Catherine Trenkle		683-4629
Altar Servers	Anne Vasile	ext. 219	881-4781
Eucharistic Ministers	Debbie Troncone		348-0864
Lectors	Vicki Pape		509-1487
Altar Linens	Connie Beveridge		655-3002
Wedding and Funeral			
Coordinator	Cheryl Bender	ext. 218	881-4781
ΕΛΙΤΗ ΕΟΡΜΑΤΙΟΝ			

FAITH FORMATION

256-881-0345 Religious Education – PSR (pre-K-12) OCIA Michelle Southerland OCIA@holyspirithsv.com

YOUTH

Boy Scouts	Chris Brightwell	hstroop361@gmail.com
Cub Scouts	Wm. Messervy	hspack361@gmail.com
American Heritage Girls	Jennifer Butler	
	ahgtro	opal7361@gmail.com
Youth Ministry	Lori Lai	882-6483
PARISH LIFE		
Hospitality Committee		881-4781
Nursery	Sharon Brown	881-4781
Parish Life Center Library	Jim Anderson	603-883-5418
Perpetual Adoration Commi	ittee	
	Bob Dineen	880-0221
	Pete Robert	882-0033
	Malen Colberg (Spanish) 650-5194
	Jason Poyer	881-1526
Seasons of Hope		
Grief Support Group	Kathy Heckman	714-7028

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Hugo Jenrath	682-1694
Maritza Holland	(text) 361-9290
Jason & Susan Poyer	881-1526
	Hugo Jenrath Maritza Holland

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Catholic Center of Concern	1010 Church Street	963-9355
Catholic Family Services	4920 Corporate Dr.	536-0073
Haiti Mission	Bob McCoy	603-7398
Habitat for Humanity	Marianne Higgins	653-1843
Ministry to the Sick and Hor	nebound	
	Deacon Michael Sudnik	604-3374
	msudnik	@comcast.net
Pro-Life	Tom White	513-913-7475
	hsprolife@p	rotonmail.com
Society of St.Vincent DePau	l Steve Monaco	881-4781
Meals on Wheels	Tom Rathz	683-7910

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