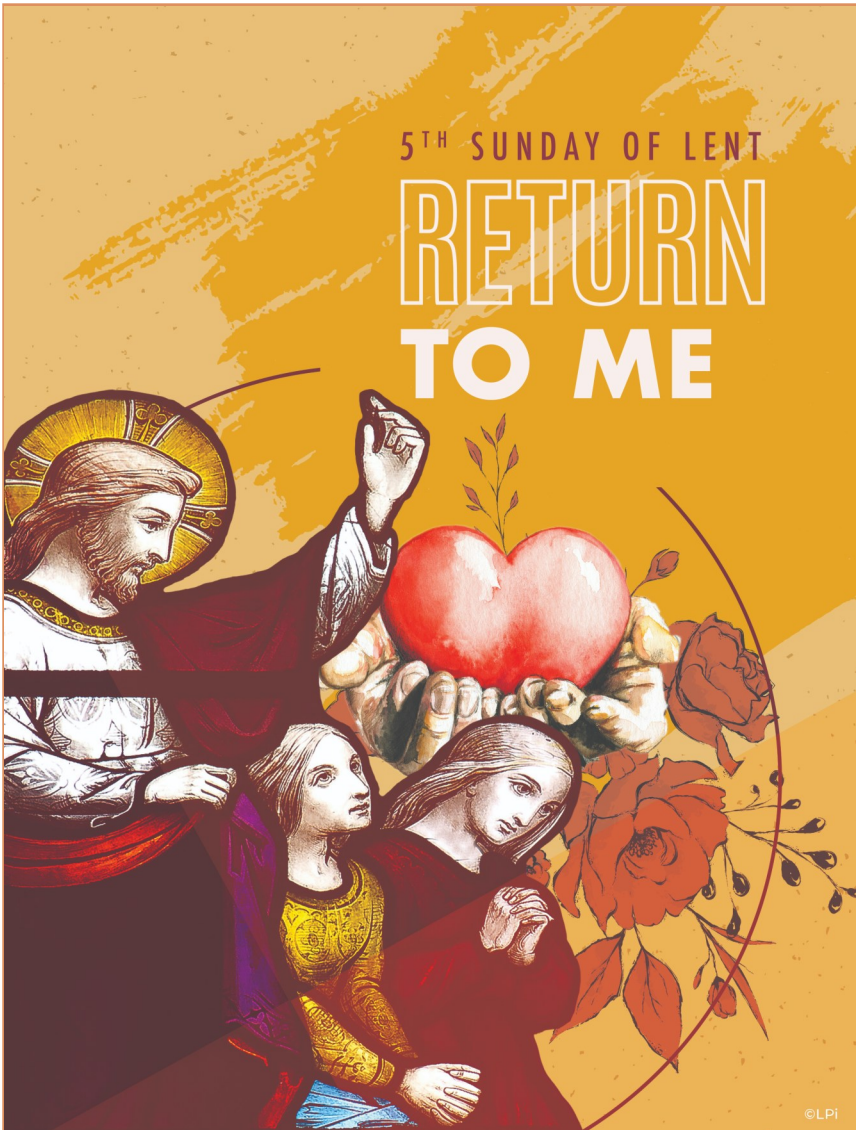


March 22, 2026

**HOLY SPIRIT  
FAMILY  
OF PARISHES**

*Holy Spirit Family—  
United in  
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to the Community*



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*Our Vision*

“We, the members of the Holy Spirit Family of Parishes, will foster discipleship by making the Eucharist the center of our lives as we form, live, and share our faith.”

**Our Lady of Grace (OLOG)**



**Corpus Christi**



**Our Lady of Mercy**

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**9. Temporal Resources and Strategic Planning**

- **Sustainability:** Financially, the Family is stable together but not individually; much stability has come from previous property sales and investments. What do we do to increase giving?
- **Ministerial capacity:** Current ministries are largely maintained by volunteers. Additional staff would improve outreach, formation, and communication.
- **Resource reallocation:** Consideration is being given to selling or renting underused properties, such as the Queen of Martyrs school building and St Augustine Rectory.

**10. SWOT Analysis: Canonical Unification & Beacons of Light**

**Strengths:**

- Active ministries (Bible studies, outreach, worship).
- Growing diversity and practical, business-minded stewardship.
- Unity has fostered strong collaboration and resource sharing.

**Weaknesses:**

- Difficulty adapting to change for some parishioners.
- Need to increase participation in liturgical ministries.

**Opportunities:**

- Leverage diversity for evangelization and community outreach.
- Expand support for aging parishioners and increase youth engagement.

**Threats:**

- Ongoing aging of the parish population.
- Underrepresentation of younger families and the need for greater inclusivity for immigrant communities.

**11. Recommendations: Future Organization & Resource Use**

**Organizational Structure:**

Canonical merger is recommended to maximize unity, resource efficiency, and mission effectiveness. Redundant or non-critical buildings should be eliminated or repurposed.

**Resource Allocation:**

- Increase involvement of deacons and lay leaders to offset limited priest availability.
- Continue integrating leadership across all parishes.
- Focus on engaging younger parishioners and embracing the diversity of the Family.

**Conclusion**

The Holy Spirit Family of Parishes is well-positioned to fulfill its vision and the Beacons of Light mission through continued unification, strategic resource management, and inclusive evangelization. With thoughtful planning and adaptation, the Family can ensure long-term vitality, financial health, and robust Gospel witness within its diverse and dynamic community.

**Holy Spirit Family Core Values—  
Eucharist—Relationship  
Prayer—Holy Spirit—Trust**

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