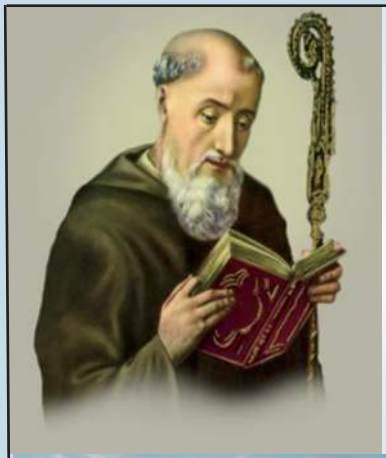


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Office Hours:

Monday thru Friday

9:00 am — 12:00 noon;

1:00 pm — 4:30 pm

Confessions/Confesiones:

Saturday /Sabado 4:00 pm– 4:45 pm

or by appointment/por cita

Bulletin Deadline - submit by Friday 12 pm

Plazo para el Boletin - enviar viernes 12 pm

Masses / Misas

Saturday Vigil/Sabado Vigilia

5:00 pm (English); 7:00 pm (Español)

Sunday Masses/Misas del Domingo

8:30 am (English); 10:30 am (Español)

12:30 pm (English)

Weekdays/ Entre la Semana

Lunes y Jueves - 9:00 am (Español)

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday

9:00 am (English)

Holy Day of Obligation

9:00 am & 7:00 pm (Español)

Mass intentions/Intenciones de misa
October 24 — 30, 2026
El 24 al 30 de Octubre 2026

Sat	5pm	Marie Pointer †
	7pm	Isidra Cedillo (Blessings Received)
Sun	8:30am	Frederick Villamayor †; Melvin † & Geneva Charles (Wed. Ann.)
	10:30am	Jorge Angel & Ofelia Barragan †
	12:30pm	Maria de los Angeles Ruiz † & Eloy Gutierrez Jr †
Mon	9am	Eloy Gutierrez Jr †; Johana Serrano (Health & Conversion)
Tues	9am	Aurelia Dorotan † (B'Day)
Wed	9am	Lolita B. Compas (80th B'Day)
Thur	9am	Heriberto Rivera †
Fri	9am	Jose A. Bustos Jr †

To request a Mass intention please come to the office.
Para pedir intención de misa, porfavor venga a la oficina.

Sacraments/Sacramentos

Baptism/Bautismo

Parents and Godparents must attend preparation classes.
Los padres y padrinos deben de asistir a las clases de preparación.

Reconciliation/Reconciliación

Saturday/*Sabado* 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. or by appointment/*o por cita.*

Marriage/Matrimonio

Contact the Parish Office six months prior to the wedding date. *Póngase en contacto con la Oficina Parroquial seis meses antes de la fecha de la boda.*

Communion & Anointing to the Sick/Comunión y Unción a los Enfermos

Contact the parish office/*Póngase en contacto con la Oficina Parroquial*

Vocations / Vocaciones

Are you interested in becoming a priest, deacon, or consecrated and religious life? Speak with your pastor or contact the Office of Vocations, 713/659-5461.
¿Esta Ud. interesado en ser sacerdote, diacono, o vida consagrada y religiosa? Hable con su Párroco o llame a la Oficina de Vocaciones, 713/659-5461.

Quinceñeras: Registered members please contact the Parish Office six months prior to the date of event.

Quinceñeras: *Miembro registrados póngase en contacto con la Oficina Parroquial seis meses antes de la fecha del evento.*

FAITH FORMATION
FORMACION DE FAMILIA
DRE/DIRECTORA:
Rocio Sandoval
346-338-5767

Volunteers Needed! Our parish is in dire need of more Catechist and Core Members to volunteer. Please contact the parish office for more information.

¡Se necesitan voluntarios! *Nuestra parroquia necesita urgentemente más catequistas y miembros de equipo central para voluntarios. Para mas información comunicase con la oficina.*

St. Benedict the Abbot is partnering with Catholic Leadership Institute for the Disciple Maker Index survey. The first step along this journey is to assess our greatest opportunities and strengths, and the Disciple Maker Index survey is an important tool that will help us do just that.

The Disciple Maker Index (DMI) is designed to:

- ***Invite parishioners to reflect on their journey of discipleship.***
- ***Enable parish leadership to make data-driven decisions.***
- ***And help parishioners grow in their faith.***

We encourage you to participate as the results will serve to strengthen our parish and better prepare us for the future. A comprehensive report of the findings will be shared with you in the coming months. At St. Benedict the Abbot, we are blessed in so many ways. Together, using the Disciple Maker Index survey, we will identify our strengths and opportunities in greater detail as we strive to grow in missionary discipleship.

The deadline to complete the survey is October 25th.

The survey is available on our parish website at **www.sbahouston.org**, on the home page under the parish picture, or you may visit the survey website directly at **survey.catholicleaders.org/dmi/survey/da32px**

San Benedicto Abad se está asociando con el Instituto de Liderazgo Católico para realizar la encuesta Índice de Creadores de Discípulos. El primer paso en este viaje es evaluar nuestras mayores oportunidades y fortalezas, y la encuesta Índice de Creadores de Discípulos es una herramienta importante que nos ayudará a lograr precisamente eso.

El Índice de Creadores de Discípulos (DMI) está diseñado para:

- **Invitar a los feligreses a reflexionar sobre su camino de discipulado.**
- **Permitir que los lideres parroquiales tomen decisiones basadas en datos.**
- **Y ayudar a los feligreses a crecer en su fe.**

Le animamos a participar ya que los resultados servirán para fortalecer nuestra parroquia y prepararnos mejor para el futuro. En los próximos meses se compartirá con usted un informe completo de los hallazgos. En San Benedicto Abad, somos bendecidos de muchas maneras. Juntos, utilizando la encuesta Índice de Creadores de Discípulos, identificaremos nuestras fortalezas y oportunidades con mayor detalle a medida que nos esforzamos por crecer en el discipulado misionero.

La fecha limite para completar la encuesta es Octubre 25.

La encuesta está disponible en el sitio web de nuestra parroquia, **www.sbahouston.org** —en la página de inicio, debajo de la fotografía de la parroquia—, o puede visitar directamente el sitio web de la encuesta en **survey.catholicleaders.org/dmi/survey/da32px**

Readings for October 25 / Lecturas para el 25 de Octubre

Exodus/Éxodo 22:20-26 Psalm 18:2-3,3-4,47,51/Salmo 17 Thessalonians/Tesalonicenses 1:5-10 Matthew/San Mateo 22:34-40

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time/30º Domingo Ordinario

SUNDAY OFFERING/OFRENDA DEL DOMINGO

October 3 & 4, 2026

Budget for 2026-2027
$643,100
First Collection: $ 5,969
Second Collection: $ 2,296

Maintenance Fund/Fondo de Mantenimiento

SUNDAY OFFERING UP TO DATE: $116,789

Thank you for your contributions.
Gracias por sus contribuciones.

NEXT WEEK'S:
The Second collection of November 1, 2026 is for:
Maintenance Fund
SEMANA SIGUIENTE:
La segunda colecta del 1 de Noviembre 2026 es para:
Fondo de Mantenimiento

2026
"We are the Lord's"
Goal/Meta : $43,000
Total Paid/Total Pagado: $26,814

Ignite/Enciende
Parish Goal/Meta: $369,015
Amount Pledged/Promesa: $164,705
Amount Paid/Pagado: $97,430

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Weekly Contribution

When contributing please use the weekly offering envelope. Please fill out: envelope number, name, address and phone number. St. Benedict now has Zelle. Send your contribution through Zelle to: 832-731-3013 St. Benedict Catholic Church.

Contribución Semanal

Al contribuir, utilice el sobre de ofrenda semanal. Por favor, rellene: número de sobre, nombre, dirección y número de teléfono. San Benedicto ahora tiene Zelle. Mande su contribución por Zelle al: 832-731-3013 y el nombre de St. Benedict Catholic Church.



The bread and wine that was used this weekend were donated in celebration of Jose Chavez & Grisel Ortega's birthdays and for their health.

El pan y el vino que se utilizaron este fin de semana fueron donados en celebración de los cumpleaños de Jose Chavez y Grisel Ortega, y por su salud.



Anointing/Healing Mass
First Friday of the month.
November 6 at 9:00 am in English

Misa de Unción/Sanación
Cada primer Viernes del mes.
El 6 de Noviembre a las 7:00 pm en español.

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Adoration
First Tuesday of the Month
Tuesday, November 3 @ 7:00pm

Adoración
Cada primer Martes del mes
Martes, 3 de Noviembre @ 7:00pm

Parish Ministries

Liturgy/Liturgia:
Ushers/Acomodadores
Altar Care/Cuidado del Altar
Extraordinary Ministers
Ministros Extraordinarios
Lectors/Lectores
Music/Música
Art Environment/Arte y Ambiente

Family Formation
Formación Familia
CCE/Doctrina
Youth Ministry/Ministerio Juvenil
Apologetic/Apologética

Parish Prayer Groups
Perpetual Adoration
Legion of Mary
Legion de Maria
Grupo Oración

Parish Groups
Senior Club
Ballet Folklorico
Consolation
AMSIF

Parish Organizations
Knights of Peter Claver
KPC Ladies Auxiliary
KPC Jr. Knights
KPC Jr. Daughters
Catholic Daughters

Please contact Parish Office for information on Ministries, groups & organization.
Favor de llamar a la oficina Parroquial sobre ministerios, grupos y organizaciones.

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Our Blessed Mother
Requests:
Pray
The Rosary
Daily
Legion of Mary
Meetings
10:30 a.m. Thurs.

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