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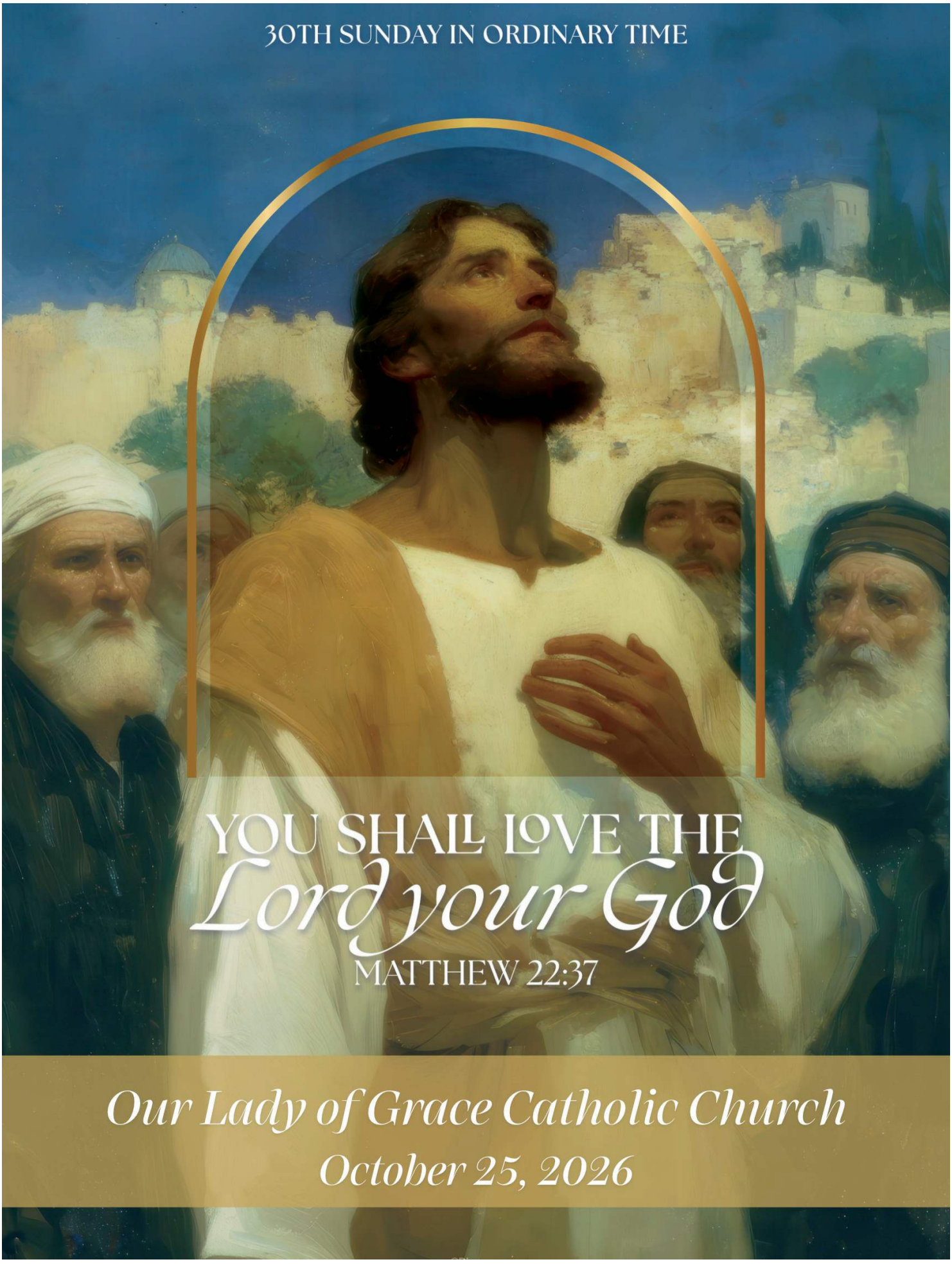

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Baptisms
Contact Ashley Salvador 6 weeks in advance to begin the registration process & to schedule a Baptism Preparation Class. Baptisms are held on the First Sunday of the month at the 10:30am Children's Mass.

First Holy Communion & Confirmation
School aged students should be enrolled in our Religious Education Program for Sacramental Faith Formation.

Adult Confirmation
For those aged 18 & older who have been Baptized & received First Holy Communion, contact Deacon George Wunderlich for current schedule of classes.

Matrimony
Visit OLGSA.ORG one year in advance to submit a Wedding Inquiry.

Annointing of the Sick
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Children's Mass

Sunday November 1st

10:30 AM Mass

Children in 2nd - 12th grade are invited to take part in this special Mass!

Lectors - 2nd - 12th grade

Altar Servers - Children who have recieved their First Communion

Eucharistic Ministers - High school youth that have received their Confirmation

Training will be Friday October 30th @ 6:30 PM inside the Church

Contact Kim Morrison for questions or to sign your child up to serve

kim.morrison@olgsa.org

Children's Liturgy of the Word will start back up on October 25th

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MASS, CONFESSION & INTENTION SCHEDULE

Monday, October 26
7:00 AM Fr. Deejo
Robert Johnson & Family - Marylin Johnson

Tuesday, October 27
4:30 PM Confessions - Fr. Abe
5:30 PM Mass - Fr. Abe
Tim Ramirez - Family

Wednesday, October 28
7:00 AM Fr. Abe
Robert Johnson & Family - Marylin Johnson

Thursday, October 29
4:30 PM Confessions- Fr. Abe
5:30 PM Fr. Abe
Santiago Ramirez - Family

Friday, October 30
7:00 AM Fr. Abe
John Harty (d) - Luci Harty

Saturday, November 1
8:00 AM Fr. Abe
4:30 PM Confessions - Fr. Abe
5:30 PM Fr. Abe
Sarah Marie Johnson - Marylin Johnson

Sunday, November 2
8:30 AM Fr. Abe
Robert Johnson & Family - Marylin Johnson
10:30 AM Fr. Abe
Joseph Salvador's Birthday - Salvador Family
12:00 PM Fr. Abe
Deceased of the Johnson & Jansen Families - Marylin Johnson

Altar of Remembrance

A special Altar of Remembrance will be placed in the foyer of the church for All Souls Day. Beginning on Saturday, October 24th you are invited to bring photos or mementos of your deceased loved ones to place on the Altar. Please clearly I.D. them so they may be returned to you.

OUR LADY OF GRACE
MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

On Thursday, November 12th at the 5:30pm Mass we will honor our departed loved ones, particularly those who have died since November 2025. If you would like to include the name of a loved one, please contact the office at 210-734-7285 by Tuesday, November 8th at noon.

A Heartfelt Thank You for Your Generosity and Love

Dear Parishioners, Donors, Members of Our Development and Enhancement Committee, Pastoral Leadership Team, Finance Council, Pastoral Council, and Parish Staff,

I pray that you and your families are doing well and enjoying God's abundant blessings. With a heart filled with gratitude, I am delighted to share that the interior renovation of our beloved Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church has been completed! This is a wonderful milestone in the life of our parish, and I wish to take this opportunity to express my sincere and heartfelt appreciation to everyone who made this project possible.

When I first shared the vision for renewing and refreshing the interior of our church, I invited you to prayerfully consider supporting this important undertaking. Today, as we look around our beautifully renewed church, we are reminded of what can be accomplished when people come together in faith, generosity, and love for their parish. This renovation is much more than a building improvement; it is a beautiful expression of our shared faith and our love for the Lord and His Church.

Thanks to your generosity, we have been able to refresh the interior of our church, restore the beauty of our pews, renew the cushions and upholstery, repair the kneelers, and refinish the wood flooring. These improvements have helped restore the beauty and dignity of our sacred worship space while preserving the familiar character and welcoming atmosphere that have meant so much to generations of our parish family.

I am pleased to share the following financial summary of the project:

- **Total donations received: $139,240.00**
- **Total project expenditure: $161,515.56**
- **Difference covered by parish funds: $22,275.56**

Our heartfelt thanks go to every donor who contributed to this project. Whether you made a substantial gift, offered a smaller donation, or supported this effort through your prayers and encouragement, please know that your contribution has made a meaningful difference. Every gift was an expression of love for Our Lady of Grace and a commitment to preserving our church for generations to come. I am especially grateful to those who responded generously to the invitation to support this project, even when doing so required personal sacrifice.

I would also like to express my sincere appreciation to our Development and Enhancement Committee for its leadership, careful planning, and dedication throughout this process. Your time, expertise, and thoughtful guidance helped us evaluate our needs, consider the available options, and move this project forward responsibly.

My gratitude extends to the Pastoral Leadership Team, Finance Council, and Pastoral Council for your support, collaboration, advice, and commitment to the well-being of our parish. Your willingness to work together for the good of Our Lady of Grace reflects the spirit of stewardship and shared responsibility that strengthens our parish community.

A special word of thanks goes to our parish staff, whose patience, flexibility, and hard work helped us navigate the many details and adjustments that accompanied this renovation. I am grateful for your dedication and for the care you show every day in serving our parish family.

Above all, I thank God for blessing Our Lady of Grace with such a generous and faithful community. Our church is not simply a beautiful building; it is a sacred home where we encounter Christ, celebrate the Eucharist, receive the sacraments, bring our joys and sorrows before the Lord, and accompany one another on our journey of faith. Here, children are baptized, couples exchange their wedding vows, families gather to celebrate special moments, and we commend our loved ones to God's eternal care. Every corner of this sacred space holds memories, prayers, and expressions of faith.

As we worship in our renewed church, may its beauty remind us that the true beauty of Our Lady of Grace lies not only in its walls, pews, and furnishings, but above all in the faith, kindness, generosity, and love of the people who gather here as one family in Christ.

I hope that you will take great pride in knowing that you have helped preserve and enhance this sacred space for our present parish family and for the generations who will follow us. May everyone who enters our church feel welcomed, experience the peace of Christ, and encounter the loving presence of God.

Please accept my deepest gratitude for your generosity, cooperation, patience, and prayers. May Our Blessed Mother, Our Lady of Grace, continue to watch over our parish, intercede for our families, and guide us closer to her Son, Jesus Christ. May the Lord bless you abundantly for all that you have done for our parish. May He reward your generosity with peace, joy, good health, and the assurance that your gifts have helped build something lasting—not merely a renewed church interior, but a stronger and more united community of faith.

With heartfelt gratitude and prayers,

As always,

Fr. Abe.

OUR LADY OF GRACE

Thanksgiving

Bag Drive

Let's Share & Care

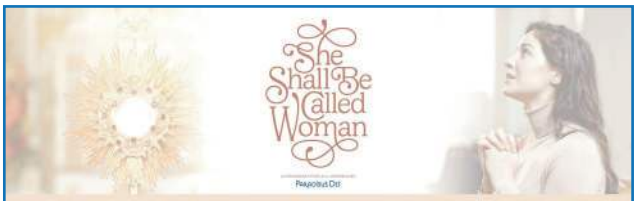
OCTOBER 24TH - NOVEMBER 13TH

Parishioner Drop off to the Church Office THRU Fri. Nov 13th

RE Students Drop Off in RE Classrooms THRU Sun. Nov 15th

Pick up your Thanksgiving Gift Bag' in your RE Classroom, Parish Trunk-or-Treat or at the Church office. Shop the list and provide a $25 grocery card for Main Dish Shopping to complete the holiday Meal!

Recipient Pick-Up Dates
November 18th - 20th



SEASON FIVE

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS

THIS WEEK'S SESSION

A Sacrifice of Gratitude: Be led into a Christ-centered understanding of gratitude as an act of worship: one that requires sacrifice, acknowledges God's greatness, and shapes our daily disposition

Every Wednesday at 7pm in the St. Joseph Room

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is an interactive men's program combining the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of man fully alive. By honestly addressing the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, That Man is You! seeks to form men who will be capable of transforming homes and society.

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1 THESSALONIANS 5:16-18
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PRAY WITHOUT CEASING
GIVE THANKS IN ALL CIRCUMSTANCES
FOR THIS IS THE WILL OF GOD FOR YOU IN CHRIST JESUS.

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2026 MEN'S ACTS RETREAT

DECEMBER 10–13, 2026

Thursday evening – Sunday midday
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ACTS stands for Adoration, Community, Theology, and Service. This parish retreat invites men to step away from daily demands, deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ, and build authentic Catholic brotherhood.

RETREAT COST: $225
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Pay by check to Our Lady of Grace ACTS or Venmo @OurLady-OfGraceSA

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Scan the QR code to open the official Men's ACTS registration form.

RETREAT CONTACTS
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Come encounter Christ. Return renewed. Go forth to serve.

WHAT'S GOING ON @ GRACE

NOVEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
25 Young Adult Mass 12pm Teen ACTS Planning - 12pm Men's ACTS Retreat Planning - 5:30pm Marriage Prep Retreat	26 Encounter School of Ministry - 6pm	27 TMIY! 6:15am Homeschool Ministry - 9am PPC Meeting 6:30pm OCIA 7pm	28 Morning Bible Study 9:30am SHE Ministry 7pm	29 Evening Bible Study 6:30pm Young Adult Ministry 7pm	30	31 Men's Fellowship Group 8:30am AA Meeting - 7pm
1 All Saints Day Conf. II Saints Science Fair 9:30am Baptisms 10:30 am ACTS Retreat Planning Teens- 12pm Men- 5:30pm	2 All Souls Day Encounter School Team Meeting - 6pm	3 TMIY! 6:15am Homeschool Ministry - 9am OCIA 7pm	4 Morning Bible Study 9:30am Teen Bible Study 6:30pm SHE Ministry 7pm	5 Gifts of Grace 11:00am	6 1st Friday Mass 5:30pm 1st Friday Potluck Dinner	7 Men's Fellowship Group 8:30am AA Meeting - 7pm
8 ACTS Retreat Planning Teens- 12pm Men- 5:30pm	9 Encounter School Team Meeting - 6pm	10 TMIY! 6:15am Homeschool Ministry - 9am Holy Hour for Priests 7pm Knights of Columbus Meeting 7pm OCIA 7pm	11 Morning Bible Study 9:30am SHE Ministry 7pm	12 Grief Ministry 6:30pm Evening Bible Study 6:30pm Young Adult Ministry 7pm	13	14 Men's Fellowship Group 8:30am AA Meeting - 7pm
15 Food Drive RE Deadline ACTS Retreat Planning Teens- 12pm Men- 5:30pm	16 Food Drive Parish Deadline Encounter School of Ministry - 6pm	17 TMIY! 6:15am Homeschool Ministry - 9am Rosary Prayer Group & Potluck 6:30pm OCIA 7pm	18 Thanksgiving Food Drive Mass at San Pedro Manor 9:30am Morning Bible Study 9:30am SHE Ministry 7pm	19 Gift Bag Donations Evening Bible Study 6:30pm	20 Handed Out to Recipients	21 Men's Fellowship Group 8:30am AA Meeting - 7pm
22 NO RE Nov. 22 & 29 ACTS Retreat Planning Teens- 12pm Men- 5:30pm	23 Encounter School of Ministry - 6pm	24 TMIY! 6:15am Homeschool Ministry - 9am PPC Meeting 6:30pm OCIA 7pm	25 Morning Bible Study 9:30am SHE Ministry 7pm	26 OFFICE CLOSED Only One Mass at 9am Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart	27 OFFICE CLOSED	28 Advent Wreath Blessing Men's Fellowship Group 8:30am AA Meeting - 7pm
29 Advent Wreath Blessing Young Adult Mass 12pm ACTS Retreat Planning Teens- 12pm Men- 5:30pm	30 Encounter School of Ministry - 6pm					

WELCOME HOME

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OCIA Meets on Tuesdays ~ 7pm-9pm

All adult parishioners are welcome to attend any and all sessions.

This Tuesday's Session:

JESUS, LORD, AND MESSIAH

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*Dates in Red are Early Submittals Due To Publisher & Office Holidays

Desired Bulletin Weekend	Submit Request to Office by 5pm	Office Submits to Publisher by 2pm
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11/15	11/6	11/10
11/22	11/13	11/16
11/29	11/16	11/19
12/6	11/24	12/1
12/13	12/4	12/8
12/20	12/11	12/14
12/27	12/15	12/18 by 10am

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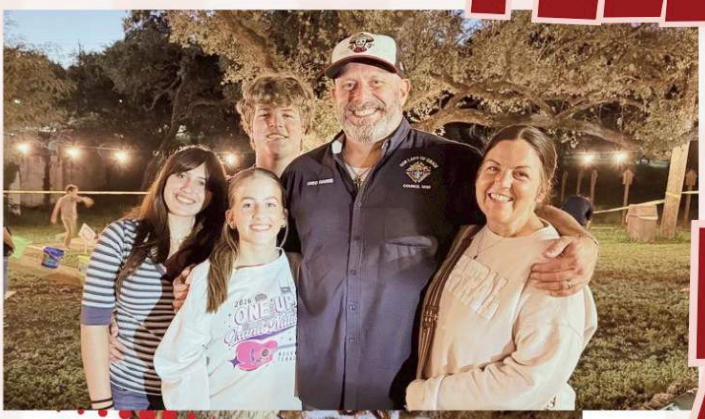

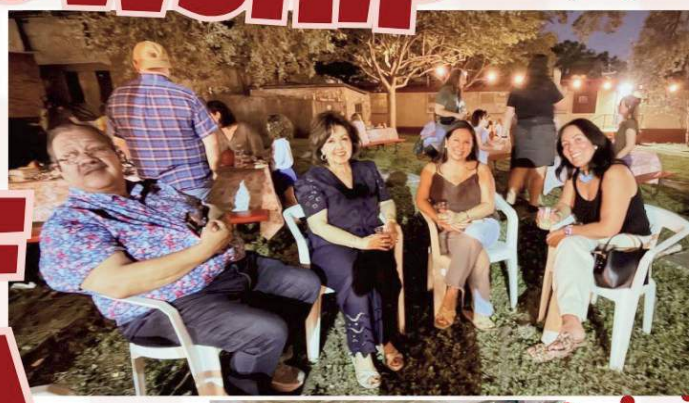

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