

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

November 22, 2015

Mass Intentions

<i>Mon.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Geraldine Jahn
<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Evaristo Buenteo
	10 A.M.	All Souls Novena
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	All Souls Novena
	8:05 A.M.	No Mass
<i>Thurs.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Erica Bridges
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	M/M Leland Tucker
		M/M Oscar Ward
	10 A.M.	No Mass
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Marie Jo Knippa
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Henry Byars
	9 A.M.	Bill & Aileen Manning & Deceased Members of the Weigelt & Moczygemba Families
	11 A.M.	Antonio de Jesus Ortega

Sanctuary Candle Intention

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Bill & Helen Mitchon.

Prayer List

Contact Theresa Bordovsky at 293-3124 or
Ann Marie Bludau at 798-2959.

This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Dn 7:13-14; Rev 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

Your Gift to God: November 15th

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$4,811.66
Online Giving	\$985
Building Fund	\$71
St. Ann Parish Support	\$352
Building Fund	\$100

May God reward your generosity!

Special Collection

A special collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development will be taken up at all Masses this weekend.

Pastoral Center Holiday Schedule

The Pastoral Center will close Tuesday, November 24th at 5:00 P.M. and reopen Monday, November 30th at 8:00 A.M. **Bulletin deadline for this week is Monday, November 23rd at 4:00 P.M.**

Liturgical Assignments

Lectors

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Dawne Wendel
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Diane Havlik
	9 A.M.	Anthony Harper
	11 A.M.	Susana Trujillo

Offertory Gifts

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Sam & Lynette Morrison
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Ralph Manning & Carolyn Petru

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Gary & Lorie Lacina, Carol Bade
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Rick & Laurie Jahn, Blaise Dreitner
	11 A.M.	Nina Arriaga, Virginia Amaro, Heriberto Castillo

Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Bobby & Gladys Jiral, Andy Bordovsky, Rocki Grubert
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Dennis Kocian, Al Janak
	9 A.M.	David & Jo Ann Muehlstein, Robbie Hagan, Emil Blaschke
	11 A.M.	Elsa Resendiz, Vicky Vasquez, Gerardo Rivas, Miguel Trujillo

Altar Servers

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Michael Chomout, Abigail Long, Chase Heller
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Madison DeBord, Hunter Mischer
	9 A.M.	Reed & Ryan Gearson, Carly Hull
	11 A.M.	Jorge Trujillo, Griselda Portales, Gabrielle Moreno

Helping Hands

The parish is blessed with our dedicated volunteers who staff and run the Helping Hands Shop--and we are grateful for the many hours they put in to maintain this important community resource.

Their hours of operation are:

Wednesday 5:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.

Saturday 7:30 A.M. – 12:00-noon

Donations accepted during regular hours of operation and on Tuesday 7:30 A.M. – 11:00 A.M.

Thank You from the CDA

CDA Court #206 extends its appreciation for your support of our recent bake sale. We would also like to thank all the CDA members that shared their time and talents. Our fundraiser enables us to "pay it forward" in support of our many projects.

CROP Hunger Walk

The Yoakum Ministerial Alliance is sponsoring a CROP Hunger Walk today at 4:00 P.M. at the Yoakum ISD track. Participants should meet and register at the New Life Baptist Church Fellowship Hall across from the football field. In addition to benefiting the hungry of the world, 25% of the proceeds collected will be given to the local Food Pantry at First Baptist Church. The remaining funds will be distributed by Church World Services to impoverished communities. Refreshments will be served after the walk at the New Life Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.

Community Thanksgiving Service

Everyone is invited to attend the Community Thanksgiving Service, sponsored by the Yoakum Ministerial Alliance, today, November 22nd, at 5:30 P.M. at New Life Baptist Church (across from the YISD football field). Those participating in the CROP Walk are encouraged to remain for the Thanksgiving service and come as they are. A meal will be served following the service.

K.J.T. #13 Christmas Brunch

KJT Society #13 will hold the Annual Christmas Appreciation Brunch on Sunday, December 6th, after the 9:00 A.M. Mass at the Family Center. Breakfast foods will be served and each family is asked to contribute favorite goodies to be shared. St. Nick is scheduled to make an appearance. Reservations will be taken by Robert Hybner at 293-2436 and Dorothy Zabransky at 293-3205. Please call by December 3rd.

Spiritual Reading Library

This past year we have had the St. John of God Book Trade as a way to make available spiritual reading for our parish family. There is now going to be a room at the Pastoral Center with these

Giving Thanks

As a parish family we gather each time around the Altar to offer the most perfect act of thanks to God in the Eucharistic liturgy. As our nation pauses this week to give thanks, it is always good to reflect on the many ways our Lord shares with us daily. The parish is rich with so many who selflessly give of their time, talent and treasure in our liturgical ministries, our educational work our parish organizations and the unsung many who "pitch in" with all kinds of tasks. May the good Lord bless each of us as we focus on giving back to others from the bounty He has so graciously shared with us!

*In All Things,
Give Thanks*

Congratulations Maggie Jahn!

We congratulate Maggie Jahn on being selected the recipient of the 2016 Distinguished Alumni Award for St. Joseph School. Maggie, along with the other distinguished alumni from throughout the Victoria Diocese, will be honored in February at the 2016 Distinguished Alumni Award Dinner held at Hilton Garden Inn in Victoria.



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are meant to do just that. Stop and take a look and give it some thought for your home...dining table centerpiece, a special place where the family can gather and say a prayer each day by lighting the different candles of the wreath as the weeks advance, etc. Start a new family tradition!

Jubilee Year of Mercy App

Pope Francis has announced a Jubilee Year of Mercy starting December 8th of this year until November 20th of 2016. During this year, we are all called to focus on mercy – God’s mercy toward us, and how we can live more merciful lives as Christians. One easy thing you can do during this year is actually also fun – install a new app called “365 Days to Mercy” on your mobile device. It’s a free app, and it includes daily reflections on mercy, Scripture reflections, Pope Francis’ tweets, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and a lot of other things you’ll find helpful. It’s not complicated or time consuming – in just a minute or two a day you can read a little about mercy. So...Celebrate the Jubilee Year of Mercy with a great new app from Our Sunday Visitor! 365 Days to Mercy is designed to accompany you on your spiritual journey during the Jubilee Year of Mercy. Go to your app store and search “365 Days to Mercy” and install it today! Go to OSV.com/YOM to learn more.

Celebración de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

Sábado 12 de diciembre 2015 – Tendremos mañanitas y Rosario a las 6:00 A.M. Todos están invitados, y el domingo 13 de diciembre a las 11:00 A.M. será la celebración de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. De antemano están invitados y se les agradecerá si traen un platillo de comida o algún postre para convivir en el salón familiar.



Jubilee Year

With the Jubilee Year of Mercy our Holy Father has called beginning December 8th, we will have an “extra” time midweek for the celebration of God’s mercy in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This will be in addition to the Saturday evening normally scheduled time. Each Wednesday beginning December 16th the Church will be open and a priest will be available in the confessional to celebrate the Sacrament beginning at 5:00 P.M. and lasting till 6:00 P.M. (We will actually begin on December 9th but that night will be reserved for one of our two CCD nights of Confessions (December 2nd and 9th). On the 16th it will become a part of our weekly routine for the Year of Mercy.

Credit Card Capable

The Pastoral Center is now capable of handling credit card payments (Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover) in the office. This will assist those when seeking to purchase religious goods, make a donation, School and CCD needs or for Cemetery payments/installments.



Religious Goods Spotlight

One of the neat items the little religious goods shop at the Pastoral Center has is a home Advent Candle set. Many times parents/grandparents look for a way to get the younger ones to appreciate the richness of our Catholic faith and its traditions. These simple wreaths and candles

Support Catholic Education

Catholic Life Insurance is sponsoring Catholic School Sweepstakes and all proceeds from the sale of tickets benefit St. Joseph School.

Grand Prize Choice of:

2016 Ford F-150 Truck **or**

2016 Ford Fusion Sedan **or**

\$20,000 Prepaid Visa Credit Card

Tickets are \$5.00 and may be purchased at the school or parish office. For more information contact the school office at 293-9000.

Help Wanted!

It's time to put out the Help Wanted sign...liturgical help, that is. Each of the past few years we have bid farewell to some truly dedicated Altar Servers who graduating high school are now off to college. Our Altar Server numbers have been down a bit and so we are in need of boys and girls, grades 4 and up, to jump in. This time--to try a different approach--those who have children interested please call the parish office or drop an email to us (pastor@stjatholicchurch.com). Once we get a group together we will schedule a training. Being an Altar Server is an excellent way to involve the children more intimately with the solemn mysteries of our Catholic faith. It is service and privilege--Catholic parents, encourage your young ones to help!



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an
Altar
Server
in your
Parish*

¡Necesitamos Ayuda!

Es tiempo de pedir ayuda... ayuda litúrgica. Cada año le decimos adiós a monaguillos (servidores de altar) verdaderamente dedicados que se gradúan de high school y se van a la universidad. El número de monaguillos en servicio se ha reducido un poco y por lo tanto necesitamos a niños y niñas del grado escolar cuarto y arriba para que nos ayuden. Esta vez lo haremos un poco diferente, aquellos que tengan niños (o niñas) interesados por favor llamen a la oficina de la parroquia o envíenos un correo electrónico (pastor@stjatholicchurch.com). Una vez que tengamos el grupo formado programaremos el entrenamiento. Ser monaguillo es una excelente manera de involucrar a los niños más cercanamente con los solemnes misterios de nuestra Fe Católica. Es un servicio y un privilegio; padres católicos, ¡animen a sus jóvenes a que nos ayuden!



Upcoming Dates to Remember

November 22 – Crop Walk – YISD Football Field
Community Thanksgiving Service - 5:30 P.M.
New Life Baptist Church

December 4 – K.J.Z.T. #37 – St. Ann's
Christmas Party – St. Ann Pavilion

December 5 – Clase de Preparacion Bautismal

December 6 – K.J.T. #13 Brunch

December 9 – KC Christmas Party

December 12 – 6 A.M. - Rosario
Senora de Guadalupe

December 13 – 11 A.M. - Celebracion de
Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe

December 14 – 5:30 P.M. – Penance Service

December 17 – 7 P.M. St. Joseph School
Christmas Play – YHS Auditorium

Músicos y Cantantes

Somos muy bendecidos en nuestra parroquia de tener los talentos de aquellos que los comparten con nosotros. Si usted es un músico o cantante, por considere compartir su talento en el coro de la misa de 11:00 AM. El dedicado servicio del coro nos anima y enriquece la liturgia en español. Si está interesado o quiere recibir más información al respecto, por favor preséntese con los miembros del coro al final de la misa, ¡gracias!



*Thanksgiving
Blessings*

