

# FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 24, 2016

## Mass Intentions

<i>Mon.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Henry Zabransky
<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Harry Staha
	10 A.M.	Evelyn Sokol
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Bernard Zabransky
	8:05 A.M.	Gene Biehunko
<i>Thurs.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Nato Garcia
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Victor & Lillie Huehlefeld
	10 A.M.	Dorothy Janca
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Ervin Lorke
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Dorothy Janca
	9 A.M.	Doris Friedel
	11 A.M.	Jesusa & Maria Maciel, Luciana Salazar

## Sanctuary Candle Intention

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Edward Filip and Lonnie Chumchal and in honor of David Filip.

## Prayer List

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

## This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Acts 14:21-27; Rev 21:1-5a; Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

## Your Gift to God: April 17<sup>th</sup>

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$4,137.78
Online Giving	\$620
Building Fund	\$264
St. Ann Parish Support	\$378

*May God reward your generosity!*

## Special Collection – This Weekend

A special collection for Catholic Home Missions Appeal will be taken up at all Masses this weekend, April 23-24.

## Special Collection – Next Weekend

A special collection for the Retired and Needy Priests of the Diocese of Victoria will be taken up at all Masses next weekend, April 30/May 1.

*"I give you a new commandment, says the Lord:  
love one another as I have loved you."*

## Liturgical Assignments

### Lectors

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Carol Bade
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Rose Sumler
	9 A.M.	Bob Arlitt
	11 A.M.	Rudy Garcia

### Offertory Gifts

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Beverly Wimberly Family
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Bill & Rosie Thiele

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Sammy & Susan Elizondo, Wanda Zabransky
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Rick & Laurie Jahn, Blaise Dreitner
	11 A.M.	Heriberto Castillo, Virginia Amaro, Graciela Rivas

### Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Charlie & Carolyn Hoepfl, Rhonda Hansel, Ronnie Koenning
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Charlie Migl, Dennis Kocian
	9 A.M.	Bobby & Bea Welfl, Johnny Salinas, Elorine Sitka
	11 A.M.	Raquel Gomez, Alice Nunez, Elsa Resendiz, Gabriel Espinosa

### Altar Servers

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Shelby Stary, Hannah Boswell, Brittany Moreno
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Madison DeBord, Hunter Mischer
	9 A.M.	Reed & Ryan Gearson, Jenna Berkovsky
	11 A.M.	Griselda Portales, Luis Avalos, Alex Gutierrez

## Experiencing Mercy

Just a reminder that part of our parish's observance of the Jubilee Year of Mercy is our weekly hour of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. In addition to our normal Saturday evening confessions (4:00-4:40 P.M.) confessions are heard each Wednesday from 6:30-7:30 P.M. in the Church.

*"Behold, I make all things new."*

### **Altar Society Spring Trip**

Interested members of the Altar Society and guests who may want to join the Spring Trip to Raphael's Refuge in Flatonia as well as some of the Painted Churches in that area are asked to contact Gladys Jiral (293-3325) for additional information and sign up information. The trip is scheduled for Wednesday, May 4<sup>th</sup> leaving at 9:00 AM from the Family Center. Deadline to sign up is Friday, April 29<sup>th</sup>.

### **Picnic Raffle Donations**

Anyone interested in donating toward the 2016 Parish Picnic Raffle is asked to contact Charlie Fikac at 772-5859 or the parish office at 293-3518. Our raffle has been a great success – and that is due in great part to our numerous, very generous, donors. If you have donated in the past and would like to do so this year, please give Charlie or the parish office a call. Deadline for donations is May 10<sup>th</sup>. This way we can get moving with having tickets printed and start selling! Thanks!

### **Information Regarding Papal Blessing Parchments**

There have been a few inquiries about how one obtains a Papal Blessing parchment for special occasions. The following link will take you to the page online that has all of the information you might need. [http://www.vatican.va/roman\\_curia/institutions\\_connected/elem\\_apost/documents/rc\\_emosinaria\\_doc\\_20130218\\_benedizioni\\_en.html](http://www.vatican.va/roman_curia/institutions_connected/elem_apost/documents/rc_emosinaria_doc_20130218_benedizioni_en.html).

### **Sacred Heart Young Adult Retreat**

The Sacred Heart Young Adult Retreat will be held June 2-5 at Cathedral Oaks Retreat Center in Oakland. The retreat is open to all single adults between the ages of 20-30. The retreat will enable you to deepen your relationship with Jesus Christ, renew yourself spiritually, give new meaning to your prayer life and Sunday liturgy, and build lasting friendships. Registration forms are available at the back of the church.

*"It is necessary for us to undergo many hardships to enter the kingdom of God."*

### **Thank you!**

St. Joseph School, with the SJS PTC officers, would like to thank all of those who helped make our BBQ Baked Potato Supper a great success! We especially thank those who donated time, money or resources, including Yoakum Pac, Knuckleheads BBQ, H&H Cafe, Knights of Columbus - especially Ryan Janak, Daniel Driskell and Alan Migl (for man power), parents, grandparents, SJS Jr. High students, the SJS staff. We also thank the 6<sup>th</sup> grade class for providing the added bake sale. We sincerely appreciate all that our parish community does in support of our school!

### **Bake Sale & Car Wash Fundraiser**

Two of our confirmation candidates (Elena Hernandez & Amber Bennetsen) will be attending Rocky Mountain High Retreat this summer with other Diocese of Victoria youth in Pagosa Springs, Colorado. They are raising funds for the cost of the retreat and will be hosting a bake sale and car wash after 9:00 A.M. and 11:00 A.M. Mass on **May 1<sup>st</sup>**. Please support these young Catholics through prayer and/or contributions as they prepare for this journey.

### **Family Center**

As has been mentioned previously, the Family Center is in need of some "TLC" with cracks in the Sheetrock, ceiling problems of discolored tiles and grid work shifting that holds it in place. Finding a period of time where it is unoccupied is a challenge--but at present it appears that the three week timeframe needed may be open at the end of May through part of June. Once things are set, the exact dates will be made known--it does mean that during that time period it would be unavailable for the most part. Just a "heads up."

### **Down the Road....**

Just to get the word out and to look ahead...Bishop Cahill has agreed to come and celebrate the annual St. Ann Celebration which this year will be held on Sunday, July 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 P.M. Obviously, it will be his first visit to the church and parish family there so--hopefully--we can give a positive impression.

*"I will praise your name for ever,  
my King and my God."*

*and your dominion endures through  
all generations."*

### **Camp David Elementary Camp June 15<sup>th</sup>**

The Camp David Elementary Camp is a fun-filled retreat for third (students entering third) through fifth graders (students exiting fifth grade) and will be held Wednesday, June 15<sup>th</sup> at the Spiritual Renewal Center. Registration forms are at the back of the church. Deadline for registration in May 27<sup>th</sup>.

### **Camp David Junior High Camp June 12-14 and June 15-17**

The Camp David Junior High Camp is a fun-filled retreat for junior high age youth (students entering 6<sup>th</sup> or finishing 8<sup>th</sup> grade) and will be held at the Spiritual Renewal Center. The first session will be held from 5:30 P.M. on Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> and end at noon on Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup>. The second session will begin at 5:30 P.M. on June 15<sup>th</sup> at end at noon on Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup>. Registration forms are available at the back of the church. Deadline for registration is May 27<sup>th</sup>.



### **KC "Hook'em & Cook'em" Salt Water Tournament**

The Yoakum Knights of Columbus Council #1582 "Hook'em & Cook'em" Salt Water Tournament will be held April 29-30 at Lamar Volunteer Fire Dept. Hall, Lamar, Texas. Festivities begin Friday evening followed by the tournament on Saturday. The tournament is open to everyone. Guide and non-guided divisions. Entry forms may be found at [www.hookem-and-cookem.com](http://www.hookem-and-cookem.com). In addition to the tournament there will be a silent auction and live auction. For more information contact: Reinhard Hagan at 361-293-4719 or Brad Brown at 361-293-8698, or Alan Migl at 361-648-0329. Proceeds benefit Yoakum Knights of Columbus charities.

### **St. Joseph School Sacramental [Gift] Season Approaches**

It is time that we begin to plan ahead for the special "holy" moments for many of our parish family who will be baptized, receive Jesus in Holy Communion for the first time, as well as receive the gift of the Holy Spirit with Confirmation. Be sure to check out the gift selection and remembrances we have available in the Pastoral Center to help find the "special" gift for the "special" people in your lives.

### **La Tienda De Regalos Cristiana**

La Tienda De Regalos Cristiana en el Centro Pastoral de San Jose tiene paquetes de Regalos Bautismales que contienen la vela, el misal, rosario, conchita y la Cruz del Angel de la Guarda. Los tenemos tanto para ninos como para ninas. El horario de la tienda sera del lunes al jueves de las 8:00 A.M. a 12:00 P.M. y 1:00 P.M. a 5:00 P.M. Por favor venga y mire a su gusto otras selecciones de regalo para Primera Comunion, Confirmacion y otras ocasiones.

### **Registration**

Registration for St. Joseph School Pre-K 3 and Pre-K 4 programs and new students K-8 for the 2016-2017 school year is currently underway. Parents may register in the school office from 9:00-11:00 A.M. and 1:00-3:00 P.M. Parents are required at the time of registration to present the students baptismal and/or official birth certificates and a complete immunization record. No child will be completely registered unless all of these documents are provided. A registration fee of \$200 per student is required. St. Joseph School admits students of any religion, race, color, or national or ethnic origin. **Registration forms are available at the back of the church.**



### **The Emmaus Center: Counseling in the Catholic Tradition**

Sponsored by the Diocese of Victoria

1908 N. Laurent Street, Suite 140  
Victoria, Texas 77901

For an appointment, go to  
[www.emmauscounselingcenter.com](http://www.emmauscounselingcenter.com)  
or call 361-212-0830

*Extending a Listening Heart to Those in Need*

*"Your kingdom is a kingdom for all ages,*

*"God's dwelling is with the human race."*

## Recordatorio sobre "Tecnologia Moderna"

Para aquellos que no sepan o no hayan escuchado, la parroquia tiene disponible para las personas que lo deseen le servicio de contribución en línea (online) por medio del Internet. Vaya al sitio Internet de la parroquia [www.stjatholicchurch.com](http://www.stjatholicchurch.com) y seleccione con un click en el logo si usted está interesado o requiere más información. Esta opción se puede usar para una sola donación/contribución o para establecer sus contribuciones regulares en vez de usar los sobres de ofertorio.

La parroquia acepta tarjetas de crédito para cuentas y pagos del cementerio, compra de bienes religiosos, etc. Solamente pregunte sobre esto cuando venga a la oficina.

La parroquia utiliza la base de datos del Programador de Ministerios (Ministry Scheduler) para aquellos que participan en cualquiera de nuestros ministerios litúrgicos (Ministros Extraordinarios de Comunión, Lectores, Ujieres, Monaguillos). El programa envía recordatorios y es una muy buena manera de buscar un sustituto cuando no pueda estar para cumplir con su ministerio. Si usted es un "ayudante" litúrgico y no está registrado en el programa, hable a la oficina y podemos registrarlo para que pueda estar al tanto de los horarios de su ministerio o darse de voluntario para ser sustituto por otros.

Para aquellos que estén interesados en buscar y localizar las tumbas de sus seres queridos ya sea en los cementerios de San José o Santa Anna puede ir a nuestro sitio de Internet y acceder la base de datos de Cementerios Católicos. También puede ser de ayuda para saber si algún terreno cerca de su difunto esta, ya sea reservado o disponible para compra. La base de datos pronto incluirá el Columbario en el Pabellón del cementerio y la sección "nueva" del cementerio San José. También para no dejar pasar la oportunidad... tenemos lotes disponibles con muy buena localización en frente del camino (¡que les permite la opción de visitar a sus difuntos en la comodidad de su automóvil!).

Finalmente tanto la parroquia como la escuela tienen aplicaciones ("Apps") para aquellos con celulares "inteligentes". Vaya la tienda App y busque por San José, Yoakum y baje la aplicación gratis. La aplicación es una manera muy practica de ver el boletín de la iglesia, mensajes, y estar enterado de las actividades de la parroquia y de la escuela.

## Upcoming Dates to Remember

**May 4** – May Crowning (School) – 8:05 A.M.  
May Crowning (CCD) – 6:30 P.M.

**May 7** – Clase de Preparacion Bautismal – 9 A.M.  
K.J.T. #13 Bake Sale  
Confirmation – 5 P.M. Mass

**May 8** – First Communion – CCD Students  
K.C. Mothers's Day BBQ

**May 11** – Meet Mr. Sean Mooney (New SJS Principal) – after 8:05 A.M. Mass

**May 14** – Baptism Class – 9 A.M.  
First Communion – St. Joseph School – 5 P.M.

**May 21** – St. Joseph School Graduation – 5 P.M.

**May 22** – Mass for Graduating Seniors – 9 A.M.

**May 29** – Parish Blood Drive

**July 11-15** – Vacation Bible School

**July 24** – Feast of St. Ann – 7 P.M. Mass

**August 6** – SJS Alumni Reunion – 5 P.M. Mass

**August 7** – Parish Picnic

## Parish Financial Statement

Balance as of March 1, 2016		\$17,059.03
<b>INCOME:</b>		
Collection	17,840.80	
Online Giving	4,420.00	
Candles	468.00	
Other	2,570.87	
Total Income		\$25,299.67
		\$42,358.70
<b>EXPENSES:</b>		
Salaries/Benefits	11,011.30	
Utilities	2,900.08	
Maintenance	996.30	
Church	9,078.15	
Rectory	848.06	
Office	2,015.32	
Property Insurance	6,000.00	
Auto	279.42	
Total Expense		\$33,128.63
Balance as of March 31, 2016		\$ 9,230.07

