

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 17, 2018

Mass Intentions

<i>Mon.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Faustino Salazar & Macedonio Maciel
<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Otis Hermes, Jr.
	10 A.M.	No Mass
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	M/M Cullen Jahn <i>Anniversary Blessings!</i>
<i>Thurs.</i>	6:30 A.M.	James E. & Mary Ward
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Gene Biehunko
	10 A.M.	No Mass
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	James & Irma Chomout <i>Anniversary Blessings!</i>
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	John & Minnie Richter
	9 A.M.	Joe Mata
	11 A.M.	Maria Rojas

Sanctuary Candle Intention

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Alton & Evelyn Sokol.

Prayer List

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

This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Ez 17:22-24; 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

Your Gift to God: June 10th

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$5,724.70
Online Giving	\$1,315
Building Fund	\$20
St. Ann Parish Support	\$542
Online Giving	\$160

May God reward your generosity!

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday: 6:00 P.M. – 6:30 P.M.

Saturday: 4:00 – 4:40 P.M.

*Happy
Father's
Day!*

Liturgical Assignments

Lectors

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Charles Kvinta
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Paula Adamek
	9 A.M.	Mark Jemelka
	11 A.M.	Susana Trujillo

Offertory Gifts

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	James & Irma Chomout
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Rose Mata Family

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Amy Hull, Donna Tolbert, Dawne Wendel
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Daniel & Janna Driskell, Carolyn Janak
	11 A.M.	Nina Arriaga, Susie Barrera, Vicky Vasquez

Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Charlie & Carolyn Hoepfl, Debbie Caka, Ronnie Koenning
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Bruce Chilek, Paul Ebner
	9 A.M.	Henry Janak, Lance Muenich, E. J. Blaschke, Elorine Sitka
	11 A.M.	Salvador & Marisela Rodriguez, Miguel Trujillo, Alice Nunez

Altar Servers

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Hannah & Ella Boswell, Macanon Eggemeyer
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Clayton Zabransky, Hunter Mischer
	9 A.M.	Leah & Ava Muenich, Raleigh Chumchal
	11 A.M.	Jorge Trujillo, Griselda Portales, Luis Avalos

Help Wanted!

Just a reminder that a simple way you can be involved and assist others is through stepping forward and volunteering. We are always in need of more individuals to lector and usher at our Masses...as well as any boy or girl fourth grade and up to serve at the Altar. A training will be scheduled during the summer months...if interested, simply call or drop an email to pastor@stj catholicchurch.com.

Reminder: Wednesday Evening Confessions

Just a reminder that a priest is available in the confessional each Wednesday evening from 6 pm to 6:30 pm throughout these summer months. This is an additional opportunity to our regular Saturday time of 4 pm to 4:40 pm.

CDA Installation of Officers

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Our Lady of Guadalupe, No. 206 will have the installation of new officers on Tuesday, June 19th at 6:00 P.M. in the Family Center. All members and prospective members are encouraged to attend. Please note:

A Day of Prayer
will be offered by the Nuns of
Our Lady of the Angels Monastery (EWTN)
for
Court of Our Lady of Guadalupe #206
on
Thursday, June 21, 2018

The Day of Prayer consists of:
Remembrance at Mass
Divine Office
Rosary
Adoration Hour
Prayerful Good Works

You Gussed It....

With Picnic now in our sights...you gussed it...our St. Joe Dough Rollers are already in their famed "prep mode." Recipe is tested and tasty. Rolling pins are accounted and ready. Ingredients are being gathered...and there's the one ingredient they need your help with so as to have another success--you gussed it--your donations and support! Poppysed doesn't grind itself--and our Dough Rollers are in need of your helpful incentive to once again do their very best. And just in case you haven't already gussed it...donations are readily and happily being received at the Parish Office.

Progress!

There has been much progress with the floor work in the school. We are past the halfway mark and the results look great—promising years ahead of good use! The entire project has been brought about through the gifts of alumni who cherish the role of the Catholic School in their upbringing-and who want to help the parish continue to provide this valuable ministry of faith formation of future generations!

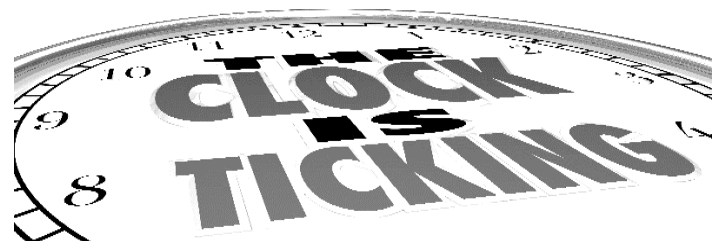
A Note from Principal Mooney

Positions Available 2018-2019 School Year
Kindergarten Teacher
1st Grade Teacher

All applicants must have a Bachelor's degree and 12 hours Education credit OR a valid state teaching certificate.

Please call or stop by the school office and speak to Mr. Mooney if you are interested in enrolling your child(ren) in St. Joseph's or applying for a teaching position at St. Joseph's.

7 Weeks to the Picnic



*"All who come to him
will live forever."*

-Calling All Youth- You are Invited!

2018 Vacation Bible School

July 9th – 13th

St. Joseph Family Center

9:00 A.M. – 12-noon

Students entering grades K-6 will be VBS campers
Students entering grades 7-12 will be VBS helpers

Adult helpers are also needed

Please contact Jana Guajardo at 361-648-3863 or
faithformation@stj catholicchurch.com

VBS Day Includes:

River Run Storytelling; Plunge-In Bible Challenge;
Fireside Snacks; White Water Games; River Riffs
Music & Dance, and Sandbar Crafts

VBS Daily Colors:

Monday – Yellow; Tuesday – Red;
Wednesday – Purple; Thursday – Green;
Friday – Blue

***Safe Environment Student Awareness**
will take place Monday, July 9th during snack times.

***Friday, July 13th – Parents are invited to our
Closing Celebration at 11:45 A.M.***

**Application forms are available at the entrance of
the church and at the St. Joseph Pastoral Center.**

SOS Marriage Retreat

Surrender your marriage to God's plan.

Open your hearts and let the Holy Spirit lead you.

Serve the Lord in all that you do.

Are you longing to spend relaxing quality time with your spouse and better understand God's plan for your marriage and your family? If so, please join us for the annual Hallettsville Deanery marriage retreat, which will be held **August 17-19** at Disciple Oaks in Gonzales. We are all different couples, at all stages of marriage, and this weekend is designed for anyone! Registration forms are located in back of the church. You may contact Jeff and Leslie Chancellor at 361-772-2650 or Anthony and Joyce Harper at 361-798-6325 for more information. We hope to see you there!

Holy Communion to the Sick/Homebound

There's has been a note in the past asking...and now once again...if you assist as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion to the Sick or Homebound, please notify the office. Our "master" list is dated and we are trying to update it with the most current listing. Rick Jahn has agreed to coordinate this valuable ministry and in order to begin--we need an updated and complete listing. Thanks.

Recordatorio

Nos estamos preparando para la Escuela Bíblica de St. Joseph. Si usted tiene un niño en la escuela entre los grados de Kínder al 6 en el entrante año escolar, considere inscribirlo en la Escuela Bíblica de Vacaciones. La Escuela Bíblica se llevara a cabo en Julio 9 al 13 a partir de las 9:00 AM hasta las 12:00 mediodía. Si quiere ser voluntario para ayudar a esta actividad o le gustaría tener mas in formación, por favor contacte a Jana Guajardo en faithformation@stj catholicchurch.com Las formas de inscripción puede ser recogidas o dejadas en la oficina de la parroquia. La fecha límite para la inscripción es Viernes, de Junio 29.

Diocesan Catechist Rally

Those involved in Faith Formation/CCD...mark your calendars! "We are Catechists, Witnessing for Jesus: Living as Missionary Disciples" is the theme for the 2018 Catechist Rally which will be held on Saturday, **July 14**, at the Cathedral Center, next to the Cathedral of Our Lady of Victory, Victoria, Texas. The Catechist Rally is a Catechist appreciation and recognition event. All Catechist and Parish Catechetical Leaders are invited to attend.

*"We walk by faith,
not by sight."*



Sacred Heart Teen ACTS Retreat July 19-22

The Sacred Heart Teen ACTS Retreat will be held **July 19-22** at Cathedral Oaks in Weimar, Texas. Cost is \$160.00 (\$30.00 registration fee will be credited to retreat fee). Retreatants will depart from Hallettsville on July 19th at 5:00 P.M. and return July 22nd for 10:30 A.M. Mass in Hallettsville. Registration forms are available at the back of the church.

Czech Heritage Pilgrimage to Prague:

There is still time to register for a **Czech Heritage Pilgrimage to Prague**, from September 22-30, 2018, celebrating the 100th anniversary of Czech statehood and the Feast Day of St. Wenceslas. Bishop Patrick Zurek and Father Bob Knippenberg will serve as spiritual directors. This pilgrimage is endorsed by the Catholic Family Fraternal of Texas (the K.J.Z.T.) and the Catholic Union of Texas (the K.J.T.). For more information, contact Ceci Triska at 979-543-8575 or email her at ceci.triska@gmail.com. **The deadline is June 15th**. Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity!

Friendly Reminder

Just a reminder to all who are involved with assisting at our liturgies: please make use of our online Ministry Scheduler Program (accessible at www.stj catholic church.com) so as to secure replacement/substitutes when away from the parish family. If for some reason you are having difficulty with accessing the program, call the parish office so that hopefully the problem can be addressed.

**Don't
Forget!**

*"The seed is the word of God,
Christ is the sower."*

St. Anthony: The Miracle of the Mule

We celebrated the Feast of St. Anthony this past Wednesday (June 13). As many of us know of his intercessory friendship in locating lost items, St. Anthony was a great preacher of the Catholic faith at a crucial time in history. An example of his devotional and dedicated piety can be understood in the "miracle of the mule." When St. Anthony was in Rimini in the year 1223, a heretic named Bonovillo challenged him to prove the doctrine of the Real Presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist in the following manner. The man would lock his mule in its stall for three days without giving it any food, then bring it into a public square where there would be plenty of hay ready for it. At the same time, St. Anthony would show the consecrated Host to the mule; if it would then ignore the hay and kneel, its owner would convert to the Catholic Faith. On the appointed day, St. Anthony celebrated Mass, then brought the Host in procession to the piazza. On arriving, he said to the mule "By the power and in the name of the Creator, Whom I, for all that I am unworthy, truly hold in my hands, I say to thee, animal, and order thee to come near at once in humility, and show Him proper veneration." At this, the mule immediately left the hay, approached and knelt, for the sake of which miracle the heretic Bonovillo did indeed convert. In the city of Rimini, in the Piazza of the Three Martyrs, there is a small chapel known as the "Tempietto – little temple", which marks the place where this miracle took place. So...next time you turn to "Tony" for help with something lost...also recall how he bids us recognize the greatest treasure to be found on earth: Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament!

Prayer for Fathers

Heavenly Father,
you entrusted your Son Jesus,
the child of Mary,
to the care of Joseph, an earthly father.
Bless all fathers
as they care for their families.
Give them strength and wisdom,
tenderness and patience;
support them in the work they have to do,
protecting those who look to them,
as we look to you for love and salvation,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

