

# TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## October 7, 2018

### Mass Intentions

<i>Mon.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Eugene & Lillian Anders
<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Special Intention
	10 A.M.	Willie & Sylvia Mitchon
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Julius & Agnes Seitz
	8:05 A.M.	Living & Deceased Members of the Adams, Jiral & Rohan Families
<i>Thurs.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Joe & Theresa Rodriguez
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Tommy & Maude Grubert
	10 A.M.	Henry Zabransky
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Parish Family <i>Pro Populo</i>
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Elton Kloesel, Sr.
	9 A.M.	Ralph, Riley & Reese Manning
	11 A.M.	Vicente Rodriguez

### Sanctuary Candle Intention

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Joe & Theresa Rodriguez.

### Prayer List

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

### This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Gen 2:18-24; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16

### Your Gift to God: September 30<sup>th</sup>

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$4,542
Online Giving	\$1,165
Building Fund	\$20
Helping Hands	\$1,223.25
St. Ann Parish Support	\$558
Online Giving	\$80
Building Fund	\$170

*May God reward your generosity!*

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday: 6:30 P.M. – 7:30 P.M.

Saturday: 4:00 – 4:40 P.M.

### Special Collection

A special collection for World Missions will be taken up at all Masses the weekend of October 20-21.

### Liturgical Assignments

#### Lectors

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Patrick Matussek
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Paula Adamek
	9 A.M.	Anthony Harper
	11 A.M.	Salvador Garcia

#### Offertory Gifts

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Bruce & Paula DeBord
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Ralph Manning Family

#### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy

#### Communion

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Theresa Belicek, Dawne Wendel, Bernadette Matussek
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Robert & Jerrie Kacir, Georgia Kutach
	11 A.M.	Annie Rodriguez, Virginia Amaro, Heriberto Castillo

#### Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Bobby Fikac, Charlie Proschko, Ronnie Koenning, JoJo Machalec
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Charles & Diane Havlik
	9 A.M.	Bobby & Bea Welfl, Sherri Spaeth, Robbie Hagan
	11 A.M.	Jorge & Elsa Resendiz, Adriana & Jessica Resendiz

#### Altar Servers

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Sophie & Ben Jahn, Emily Matussek
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Nick & Luke Adamek
	9 A.M.	Ryan Brewer, Gage Harrison, Mason Holland
	11 A.M.	Tadeo & Esmeralda Rojas, Griselda Portales

### All Souls Day

Envelopes for All Souls Day can be found in the Church entrance. These intentions will be remembered for a novena of Masses and will remain on the Altar for the month of November.

*"Whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child will not enter it."*

### **K.J.Z.T. #37 – St. Ann's**

K.J.Z.T. #37, St. Ann's will meet Tuesday, October 9<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 P.M. at the St. Ann's Pavilion.

### **KC Meeting**

The Knights of Columbus will meet Wednesday, October 10<sup>th</sup> at the KC Building. Officers meet at 7:00 P.M. followed by the regular meeting at 7:30 P.M.

### **Sacred Heart Women's ACTS Retreat**

All women are invited to attend at spiritual renewal weekend being held:

**October 11-14, 2018**

**Cathedral Oaks Retreat Center – Oakland, TX.**

For more information contact: Joan Macha at 361-293-1371, Jocelyn Bolom at 361-293-4760, or Renae Harper at 361-208-4047. Registration forms are located at the entrance of the church.

### **Rosary Rally**

October is the month of the Holy Rosary. Everyone is invited to the Yoakum Centennial Park on **Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup>** at 12-noon to join together to pray the rosary. Bring lawn chairs if needed.

### **KC Pork Steak Dinner**

The Yoakum Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a pork steak dinner with trimmings on **Sunday, October 14<sup>th</sup>** at the Yoakum Community Center from 10:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. Plates-to-go only. Dinner tickets are \$10.00. Tickets may be purchased at First State Bank, Yoakum National Bank, Pastoral Center or from any K.C. member. Proceeds benefit the Knights of Columbus charities.

### **Fiesta de San Judas Tadeo**

El **28 de Octubre** del 2018, estan invitados todos para celebrar la fiesta de los Santos Apostoles, San Judas y San Simon. La celebracion empieza a las 10:10 A.M. con el Santo Rosario. Despues sigue la misa de las 11:00 A.M. Siguiendo la misa acompanenos en el salon parroquial para un pequeno convivio estilo "potluck".

### **Celebrate Respect Life Month!**

This October, Catholics nationwide celebrate Respect Life Month with the theme "Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent." See this week's bulletin for a short reflection.

### **¡Celebra el Mes Respetemos la Vida!**

Te invitamos a unirte a los católicos de todo el país a celebrar el Mes Respetemos la Vida este mes de octubre con el mensaje "Toda vida: atesorada, escogida, enviada"! Aprende más en [http://www.usccb.org/respectlife.\\*](http://www.usccb.org/respectlife.*)

### **Calling Volunteers**

This year, attendance for Faith Formation (CCD) Classes have exceeded our expectations - what a blessing to have so many faith learners! We need your help - if you are available to be an aid in any of the classrooms, please contact Jana Guajardo at [faithformation@stj catholicchurch.com](mailto:faithformation@stj catholicchurch.com), **ASAP!** We prayerfully anticipate your assistance!

### **31<sup>st</sup> Annual Catholic Conference Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup> *Missionary Discipleship* *Enlisting Witnesses for Jesus Christ***

My Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

We have been called by Jesus Christ to be his disciples. What does this call mean to each of us today in the Catholic Church? How do we help others to grasp this gift, and recognize the great responsibility that comes with it? Next month, at the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Catholic Conference, we will hear presentations, which will help us answer some of these questions.

Therefore, I invite you to join me, Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup> at the Cathedral Center for a day of discovering new paths for the Church's journey of evangelization. The richness and concentrated focus on the new evangelization and missionary discipleship in the presentations, promise to be fruitful.

To register go to: [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org) and click on the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Catholic Conference image.

Most Reverend Brendan J. Cahill. S.T.D.  
Bishop of the Diocese of Victoria

## Retiro de Tu, Yo y Cristo

Noviembre 3-4, 2018

Parroquia de Nuestra Señora De Guadalupe  
Cuero, Texas

Costo del Retiro: GRATIS

Tu, Yo y Cristo es un retiro de 2 días que incluye temas de la vida diaria y testimonios reales que les dará a las parejas herramientas para que refresquen, revivan y profundicen su relación como pareja y más importante con Dios. A los participantes se les anima a invitar a Cristo al centro de su relación y de su hogar, lo cual es crítico para profundizar su Fe y así llegar a ser mejores cristianos católicos. Para más información y para registrarse, por favor llame a uno de los contactos: Jorge y Elsa Resendiz, Directores Espiritual (361)772-2627 o' 243-0082.

## REGRESA:

### Cómo atraer a su hijo de vuelta a la iglesia

¿Conoces a alguien que se ha alejado de la iglesia? ¿No está seguro de qué hacer? Únase a nosotros para **REGRESA** mientras exploramos los temas de evangelización, discipulado y estrategias efectivas para ayudar a otros que están lejos de la iglesia. Este programa de 10 semanas de una hora se llevará a cabo los domingos después de la misa a las 12:30 p.m. en el Salón Parroquial.

## RETURN:

### How to Draw Your Child Back to the Church

Do you know someone who has drifted away from the Church? Not sure what to do? Join us for **RETURN** as we explore the topics of evangelization, discipleship, and effective strategies for outreach. This 10 week one hour program will be held on **Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.** in the St. Joseph Family Center. For more information about the book the program is based on, visit [brandonvogt.com](http://brandonvogt.com).

*“If we love one another,  
God remains in us and his love is  
brought to perfection in us.”*

## A Note from Principal Mooney

Monday, October 8<sup>th</sup>  
No School – Columbus Day

Wednesday, October 10<sup>th</sup>  
Mass – 8:05 A.M.  
4<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> Grades – Cowboy Museum - Cuero

Thursday, October 4<sup>th</sup>  
Individual Student Pictures – 8:15 A.M.  
Volleyball vs OLG – 5:30 P.M.

Saturday, October 27<sup>th</sup>  
Fall Festival/Jack-O-Lantern Jog 5K  
Fire Prevention Week – October 7-13

## St. Joseph School P.T.C. Fall Festival

Saturday, October 27<sup>th</sup>  
4:00 – 8:00 P.M.  
St. Joseph Gym

Games – Raffle – Snacks – Toy Store  
Haunted House – Country Store  
Fun Prizes – and a lot more

Meal Catered by Werner's  
Turkey & dressing, green beans & brownie  
Serving 4:00 – 6:30 P.M.

Dine-in at the Gym or  
Plates-to-go at the Family Center  
\$10.00 per ticket

Tickets may be purchased from any St. Joseph School student, St. Joseph School Office, First State Bank, Yoakum National Bank, Prosperity Bank or St. Joseph Pastoral Center.

Raffle tickets also available at the Pastoral Center

**Fun for the whole family!**

**Come as you are or dress-up in your best costume!  
Free Admission!**



*“May the Lord bless us  
all the days of our lives.”*

## St. Joseph School Fall Festival Raffle

Raffle tickets for the St. Joseph School Fall Festival are available at the School Office or at the Pastoral Center. Tickets are \$5.00 each or a book of 5 for \$20.00. Drawing will be held at the Fall Festival on Saturday, October 27<sup>th</sup>.

### Prize:

1. \$1,000 Visa Gift Card
2. \$500 Visa Gift Card
3. \$500 Visa Gift Card
4. \$250.00 Visa Gift Card
5. \$250.00 Visa Gift Card
6. \$250.00 Visa Gift Card
7. \$250.00 Visa Gift Card
8. Handcrafted Wooden Children's Picnic Table
9. Designer Handbag & Ladies Top
10. Kendra Scott Earrings & Necklace
11. Live Oak Tree
12. Horseshoe Cross
13. One Month Membership
14. One Hour Massage
15. One Hour Signature Facial
16. 2 Sea World Day Admission Tickets
17. \$50 Visa Gift Card
18. Holiday Reindeer Décor
11. \$50 Gift Certificate

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JW's Day Spa & Salon  
Sea World of San Antonio  
Prosperity Bank  
Handy Stop Nursery  
Corner Store

## Words from St. Francis

**“Let us produce worthy fruits of penance.** Let us also love our neighbors as ourselves. Let us have charity and humility. Let us give alms because these cleanse our souls from the stains of sin. Men lose all the material things they leave behind them in this world, but they carry with them the reward of their charity and the alms they give. For these they will receive from the Lord the reward and recompense they deserve. We must not be wise and prudent according to the flesh. Rather we must be simple, humble and pure. We should never desire to be over others. Instead, we ought to be servants who are submissive to every human being for God's sake. The Spirit of the Lord will rest on all who live in this way and persevere in it to the end. He will permanently dwell in them. They will be the Father's children who do his work. They are the spouses, brothers and mothers of our Lord Jesus Christ.”

## Reflection: “Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent”

In 1531, when the indigenous peoples of Mexico were subjugated and the practice of human sacrifice was still a recent memory, the Mother of God appeared to St. Juan Diego as a pregnant native woman, now known as Our Lady of Guadalupe.

She sent him with miraculous flowers in his cloak to tell the bishop to build a church where people could receive her Son and her loving, tender care. When St. Juan Diego opened the cloak before the bishop, an image of Our Lady was revealed that remains to this day. The chapel was quickly built, millions embraced Christianity, and the Church increased its protection of the indigenous peoples.

*You who are my messenger,  
in you I place my absolute trust.*

*-Our Lady of Guadalupe*

By embracing the mission entrusted to him, St. Juan Diego helped bring Christ's transforming love to cultures gripped by oppression and death.

Today, we again see the dignity of human life disregarded. Unborn children are destroyed through abortion, and ill people are encouraged and assisted to take their own lives. How do we respond?

The essence of our identity is that we are created in God's image and likeness and loved by Him. Nothing can diminish the priceless worth of any human life. Every person is **cherished**.

God creates every person for eternal union with Himself and continually invites us to embrace a loving relationship with Him. Every person is **chosen**.

We are called to be messengers of God's love, treating one another as cherished and chosen by Him. In doing so, we help build a culture that respects all human life. Every person is **sent**.

Like St. Juan Diego, let us embrace our daily mission to help others encounter God's transforming, life-giving love.

**EVERY LIFE**  
cherished • chosen • sent

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in you I place my absolute trust.”*

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Respect Life Month  
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