

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

November 25, 2018

Mass Intentions

<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Florence Kubena
	10 A.M.	Sharri Wacker
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	All Souls Novena
	8:05 A.M.	Noe Barrera, Sr.
<i>Thurs.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Mary Gonzales
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Fabian Ramirez
	10 A.M.	Frances Jurica
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Richard Schleinschok
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Monica Machacek
	9 A.M.	Lora Torres
	11 A.M.	Fabian Ramirez

Sanctuary Candle Intention

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Frankie Raska.

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 18th

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$4,222
Online Giving Parish Support	\$2,125
Building Fund	\$176
Online Giving Building Fund	\$25
Special Collection (CCHD)	\$340
St. Ann Parish Support	\$1,158
Online Giving	\$255
Building Fund	\$50
Special Collection (CCHD)	\$77

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 the Retirement Fund for Religious will be taken up at all Masses the weekend of December 8th & 9th.

Liturgical Assignments

Lectors

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Diana Darilek
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Diane Havlik
	9 A.M.	Vanessa Falcon
	11 A.M.	Carolina Caballero

Offertory Gifts

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Robert & Rita Pargmann
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Jeff Tuttle Family

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy

Communion

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Gloria Lerma, Amy Hull, Dorothy Zabransky
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Rick & Laurie Jahn, Susan Kelley
	11 A.M.	Nina Arriaga, Vicky Vasquez, Annie Rodriguez

Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Rhonda Hansel, Rocki Grubert, Bobby & Gladys Jiral
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Dennis Kocian, Joe Machalec
	9 A.M.	Lance Muenich, Sherri Spaeth, Dennis & Dolores Sestak
	11 A.M.	Jorge & Elsa Resendiz, Jessica & Adriana Resendiz

Altar Servers

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Ella & Hannah Boswell, Arielle Bennetsen
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Hunter Mischer, Clayton Zabransky
	9 A.M.	Ava & Leah Muenich, Carly Hull
	11 A.M.	Gabriel & Jorge Chavez, Luis Avalos

Feast of the

Immaculate Conception

The Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, December 8th, is a holy day of obligation.

Mass Schedule:

Friday, December 7th – 6:30 P.M. (Vigil Mass)

Saturday, December 8th – 8:00 A.M.

Altar Society Bake Sale

The Altar Society will be sponsoring a bake sale after all the Masses next weekend, **December 1-2**. Proceeds from the sale will be used to replenish altar supplies. Stop by on and check out all the delicious homemade goodies. As always, your support is greatly appreciated!

K.J.T. #13 Christmas Brunch

K.J.T. Society #13 Christmas Brunch, meeting, Christmas Program and visit from St. Nick will be held next **Sunday, December 2nd** after the 9:00 A.M. Mass in the Family Center. All members are invited to attend are asked to bring Christmas "goodies" and breakfast foods to share with all. Since this will be the last meeting for 2018, various reports and presentations are planned. Please make plans to attend.

CDA Meeting

There will be a Catholic Daughters meeting/Christmas celebration on **Monday, December 3rd at 6:00 P.M.** at the Family Center. Members are asked to bring Christmas "goodies" to share along with a donation to the Food Pantry.

Altar Society Meeting

Altar Society members will meet at 2:30 P.M. on **Wednesday, December 5th** at the Family Center. The Yoakum High School band will provide Christmas music for everyone to enjoy. Hostesses for the meeting are: Jenny Heller, Tita Mercer, Marie Schumacher, Mela Walker, Barbara Lauer, Jo Ann Machac, Mag Jahn, Rita Pargmann, Ardyce Vaclavik, and Earline Ashby. Come and share in the Christmas spirit!

KC Christmas Party

The Knights of Columbus will have their annual Christmas gathering on **Wednesday, December 12th** at the Family Center. Social begins at 6:00 P.M. followed by the meal and program. All Knights and their wives or guest, widows of Brother Knights, Catholic Daughters and their spouses or guest are invited.

Today:

Farewell Reception for Fr. Jacob

A farewell reception for Father Jacob will be held after this weekend's 9:00 A.M. Mass at the Family Center. Father Jacob will begin serving as pastor of Our Lady of Sorrows in Victoria on Monday. This is an exciting time for Father and we are grateful for his priestly ministry here these past two years.

Boy Scouts Stew Supper Fundraiser

The Boys Scouts are sponsoring a Stew Supper tomorrow, **Monday, November 26th** at the Yoakum Community Center from 4:30-6:00 P.M. Tickets are \$7.00.

Clase de Preparacion Bautismal Diciembre 1

La clase de preparacion bautismal sera el primer Sabado del mes a las 9 A.M. en el Salon Parroquial. Hable con Susana Trujillo para mas informacion.

2019 Calendars

The parish family extends its gratitude to First State Bank for providing our 2019 Catholic Calendars. They are available in the church entrances.

Little Blue Books

With Advent starting we have available in the church each entrance the "Little Blue Book" devotionals. These simple and brief daily reflections can assist us in making the Advent and Christmas seasons a truly spiritual journey.

Advent Prayer Social

Please join us for coffee and donuts Sunday, December 2nd at 10:00 A.M. in the St. Joseph School Library. After some time of fellowship our confirmation students will be leading an Advent prayer service to help us prepare our hearts as we await the birth of our Lord. The program will conclude before 11:00 A.M. Mass. This is an opportunity to build community and support the students in their spiritual growth. We hope you will join us!

Celebracion de Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe

Sabado 8 de Diciembre. Comenzaremos con una peregrinacion a las 5:00 P.M. que saldra del salon familiar y terminara en la Iglesia, durante la caminata se rezara el Rosario.

El Domingo 9 de Diciembre. Se Celebrara la Santa Misa a las 11:00 A.M. Empezando con las mananitas a las 6:00 A.M. Despues rezaremos el Rosario a las 6:30 A.M. y al terminarse la misa iremos al salon familiar, todos estan invitados a traer un platillo o postre para convivir como en familia.

A Note from Principal Mooney

Monday, November 26th

Basketball at Faith Academy – 5:00 P.M.

Wednesday, November 28th

Mass – 8:05 A.M.

Thursday, November 29th

Picture Retakes

Basketball vs St. Anthony in Columbus – 5:00 P.M.

Friday, November 30th

Deadline to submit Tamale & T-shirt orders

St. Joseph School PTC Christmas T-shirt Fundraiser

The St. Joseph School PTC is selling a Christmas t-shirt as a fundraiser. It makes your Christmas shopping easy and makes an awesome gift. The shirts are 100% ringspun soft cotton and are dark gray heather with white design. Youth and adult sizes \$20, 2XL and 3XL \$22. **PRE-SALE ONLY!**

Orders must be submitted by November 30th. Shirts will be available by December 8th. Order forms are available at the Pastoral Center or School Office.

Para Su Información: Helping Hands

Tenemos en la parroquia un “resale shop” que se llama “Helping Hands.” Está en el rincón del Salon Parroquial y esta abierta los Sábados desde 8 a 12 pm y Miércoles desde 5 a 7 pm cada semana. Los voluntarios allá ayuda cada semana en la preparación de la ropa, objetos y otros de vestir y el dinero de estas cosas nos ayudáramos en nuestra apoyo de los when en nuestra comunidad en caridad en tiempos de necesidad.

It's Tamale Time!

St. Joseph School is sponsoring its' 3rd Annual Tamale Fundraiser starting November 9th. The authentic homemade pork tamales make great gifts, are easy to prepare and delicious to eat. Cost is \$12.00 per dozen. Order forms are available at the school and the parish office. **Deadline for orders is November 30th.** The pick-up date is Wednesday, December 13th from 3:30-5:30 P.M. at the Family Center.

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.

Children's Liturgy

We have resumed our Sunday 9:00 A.M. Mass Children's Liturgy...and so as to ease the burden on our helpers...we are looking for volunteers! If interested call the parish office and more details can be provided.

Religious Goods

The Pastoral Center has various types of religious goods available for sale in the lobby. There are religious cards, crucifixes, rosaries, Bibles, prayer books (English and Spanish), Advent wreaths, religious Christmas ornaments, statues, cemetery candleholders, etc....just the beginning of the list. All are available during office hours. It is never too early to start your Christmas shopping!

“The Lord is King; he is robed in majesty.”

Support Catholic Education

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

Grand Prize Choice of:

2019 Ford F-150 Truck or

2019 Ford Focus Sedan or

\$20,000 Prepaid Visa Credit Card

Participating School Prize:

Each participating school will have a \$1,000 prepaid Visa credit card individual winner drawn from tickets sold by their school.

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

Deadline for purchasing tickets is January 25th.

Support Catholic Education

Auspiciado por Catholic Life Insurance Apoy La Educacion Catolica. Todo el product neto de la venta de los boletos beneficia a St. Joseph School.

El Premio Mayor Incluye La Opcion De:

Camioneta For F-150 De 2019 o

Sedan Ford Focus De 2019 o

Tarjeta De VISA Prepagada De \$20,000

Premio Para Escuelas Participantes:

Cada escuela participante tendra un ganador individual e una Tarjeta de VISA prepagada de \$1,000 sorteado de entre los boletos vendidos por su escuela.

Para obtener mas informacion o para comprar boletos, comuniquese con:

St. Joseph Catholic School - 361-293-9000

Donativo: \$5.00 cada uno

Fecha limite sugerida para la presentacion de los boletos: 25 de enero de 2019

"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"

"Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is to come!"

"From Thy Bounty"

Copies of our parish cookbook are still available and make great Christmas gifts! Stop by Pastoral Center to purchase a copy. Cost is \$20.

Advent Penance Services

All services begin at 5:30 P.M.

Monday, December 10 – Moulton

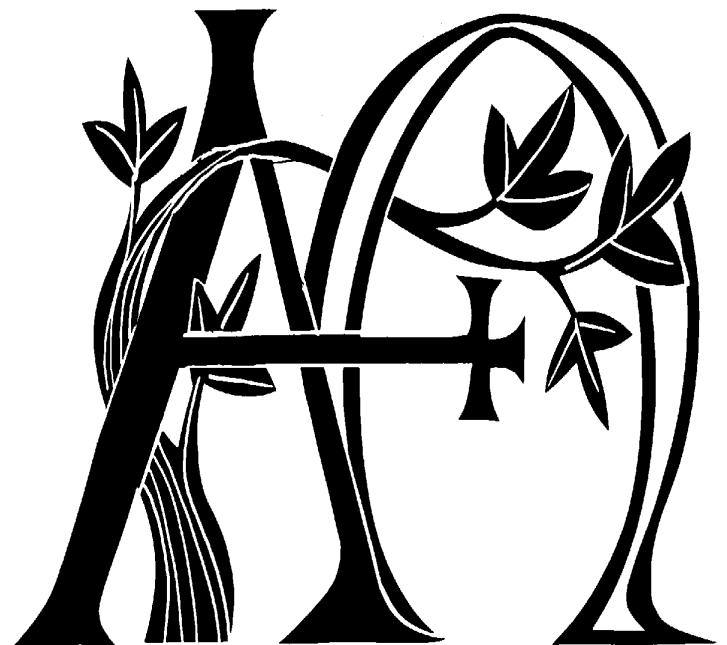
Tuesday, December 11 - Hallettsville

Thursday, December 13 – Shiner

Friday, December 14 - Yoakum

Mark Your Calendar

Volunteers are needed on **Thursday, December 20th** at 6:30 P.M. to thoroughly clean the Church before the Christmas season. Men and women are needed. Please lend a hand and help make the church spotless as we prepare for the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, on Christmas day. Call the parish office at 293-3518 if you would like to volunteer. Cleaning supplies will be provided.



"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the one who is and who was and who is to come, the almighty."