

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

March 17, 2013

Mass Intentions

<i>Mon.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Emil & Marie Blaschke
<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 A.M.	No Mass
	10 A.M.	Willie & Sylvia Mitchon
	6:30 P.M.	In Thanksgiving for our Shepherd, Pope Francis I
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Harvey Schumacher
	8:05 A.M.	Edward Brzozowski
<i>Thu.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Amanda Tregre
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Tommy & Maude Grubert
	10 A.M.	Agnes Indorf
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Mac Rodriguez
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Annie Kocian
	9 A.M.	Parish Family <i>Pro Populo</i>
	11 A.M.	Susie Gomez

Sanctuary Candle Intention

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Nancy Harvey.

Prayer List

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

This Sunday's Holy Scripture

Is 43:16-21; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11

Your Gift to God: March 10th

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$3,827.82
Online Giving	\$700
Building Fund	\$328
Special Collection (<i>Catholic Relief Services</i>)	\$427.52
St. Ann Parish Support	\$899
St. Ann Building Fund	\$40
Special Collection (<i>Catholic Relief Services</i>)	\$68

May God reward your generosity!

Operation Rice Bowl

During the season of Lent through Easter Sunday we will have the traditional almsgiving program, "Operation Rice Bowl" taken up as a second collection each weekend.

Lenten Fridays

During Lent we will have Stations of the Cross and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament each Friday in Lent at 6:00 P.M.

"Even now, says the Lord, return to me with your whole heart; for I am gracious and merciful."

Liturgical Assignments

Lectors

<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 P.M.	Mark Jemelka
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Billy Natho, Susan Elizondo
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Paula Adamek, Diane Havlik
	9 A.M.	Anthony Harper
	11 A.M.	Susana Trujillo, Gabriel Espinosa

Offertory Gifts

<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 P.M.	Glenn & Anita Schulte
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Charles & Shirley Hanzelka
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Lance Muenich Family

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 P.M.	David & Sherri Spaeth
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Sammy Elizondo, Dorothy Zabransky, Wanda Zabransky
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Bobby & Bea Welfl, Joyce Harper
	11 A.M.	Nina Arriaga

Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Albert & Suzanne Sestak, John Paul Barrera, Bennie Baros
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Charles Havlik, Al Janak
	9 A.M.	Dennis & Dolores Sestak, Randy & Debbie Randazzo
	11 A.M.	Rachel Rodriguez, Elsa Resendiz, Gerardo Rivas, Clara Rosales

Altar Servers

<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 P.M.	Claire & Caroline Spaeth, Mercedes Dreitner
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	McKenzie & Chase Heller, Trey Elizondo
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Clayton Zabransky, Madison DeBord
	9 A.M.	Emily Harper, Jenna Berkovsky, Ryan Brewer
	11 A.M.	Cecilia Rivas, Jorge Trujillo, Juliebeth Gutierrez

Holy Thursday Special Collection

A special collection For the Education of our Seminarians will be taken up at the Holy Thursday Mass. Envelopes are available at the entrances of the Church.

Feast Day Celebration

Our annual Feast of St. Joseph celebration will be held this Tuesday, March 19th beginning with 6:30 P.M. Mass followed by a fried fish dinner at the Family Center. Parishioners are asked to bring a dessert.

Marriage Anniversaries

Those observing special anniversaries this year (20, 25, 30, 35, etc.) and who plan to be present at our Parish Feast of St. Joseph celebration on Tuesday, March 19th are invited to call the parish office and add their name to the list.

Community Worship Service

The Community Palm Sunday Worship service sponsored by the Yoakum Ministerial Alliance will be held next Sunday, March 24th at 6:30 P.M. at the First Baptist Church.

Catholicism Series

The next "Catholicism" Series meeting will be held **Wednesday, March 20th at 6:30 P.M.** in the Meeting Room.

Easter Flowers

Those who would like to donate towards the Easter floral decorations are invited to use the envelopes in the church entrances. All memorial/donors will be listed in the bulletin after Easter.

St. Joseph School Shrimp Dinner

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring the annual St. Joseph School Shrimp Dinner next Friday, March 22nd at the Family Center. Plates-to-go only. Tickets are \$8.50 and are available at St. Joseph School, First State Bank, Yoakum National Bank, Anders Auto Supply, State Farm Insurance, the parish office or from any St. Joseph School student.

School Projects Update

The final window was installed during spring break and all looks great. Also during the break the 3rd floor air conditioning was completed as was the addition of the new electrical panel. The new doors and added security installation was started and will hopefully be wrapped up this week. The final stage of this project will be the exterior painting and 2nd floor air conditioning installation which will be accomplished right after school lets out for summer break.

Vacation Bible School

We are getting an early start this year! Anyone interested in helping with the 2013 Vacation Bible School, July 8-12, please contact Jana Guajardo at 361-648-3863 or call the rectory. Adult help and student help is needed! Great for service hours!

Holy Week Schedule

Holy Thursday

The Institution of the Holy Eucharist and the Priesthood
Mass 7:00 P.M.
Nightwatch in the Church until Midnight

Good Friday

Commemoration of the Lord's Passion – 12:30 P.M.

Holy Saturday

Easter Vigil – 5:00 P.M.

Easter Sunday

7:00 A.M. – St. Ann's

9:00 A.M.

11:00 A.M. (Bilingual)

Confessions

There **will not** be confessions on Saturday, March 30th prior to the Easter Vigil Mass.

Thanks from the CDA

CDA Court #206, Our Lady of Guadalupe wishes to say **THANK YOU** to all who helped make their 100th Anniversary Celebration & the JCDA Court's 70th Anniversary a Great Success! Bishop David Fellhauer, Father Matthew for your guidance, Deacon Dennis, St. Joseph School 8th Graders who set up the tables & chairs, Mary Sue Ferrell & the Choir who sang beautifully at Mass, the 4th Degree KC's who provided the Honor Guard, Ronnie Koenning and Sherri Spaeth who took pictures, and to all parishioners who attended the celebration. We were so honored to have over 200 in attendance at the celebration of this milestone! May God bless all of you!

Paving the Way (around St. Ann)

The upcoming fundraiser for St. Ann will be to assist with the last stage of the renovation at St. Ann which will be the installation of a paved entrance and driveway around the Church. Your support is appreciated as this should bring the to-do list to completion--barring the need to install a traffic light to control the rowdy, speeding Petersville churchgoers at 6:55 A.M. and 7:45 A.M. every Sunday....

St. Ann Fundraiser

St. Ann Church will host a kettle-fried steak dinner on Sunday, April 21st at the St. Joseph Family Center, co-sponsored by KJZT #37. There will be a country store featuring homemade goods. Proceeds will be used to repair and pave the driveway at St. Ann's. Tickets are \$7.50 and may be purchased at the rectory, First State Bank and Yoakum National Bank. Plates-to-go only.