

Parish Services/Ministries

Anointing of the Sick:

Call 830-484-3302

Adoration:

Every 1st Friday of the Month

7:30am – 1:30pm

Every 1st Saturday of the Month

4:30pm – 5:30pm

Baptism:

Contact Pastor for Pre-Baptismal class and to set a date.

Confessions:

Before Masses

Deacons:

Deacon Alan Crosby

Deacon Jesse Nunez

Spiritual Direction:

Deacon Jesse Nunez (210-705-3029)

Rosie Nunez (210-705-3472)

Marriage:

Contact Pastor at least 6 months ahead for preparation and a date.

OCIA: Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

Contact Gerri Garza at (830-200-9854) or email gerrigarza@gmail.com.

Victim Assistance & Safe Environment Director:

Steve Martinez (210-734-7786)

Altar Flower Coordinator: Linda

Moczygemba (830-484-2351)

Altar Society

President – Ester Luna

ACTS Mission

Core – William Hons

Catholic Daughters of the Americas:

Regent – Carol Dziuk

Junior Catholic Daughters

Chairman – Danette Lyssy

Co-Chairman – Stacy Koether

President – Maggie Moczygemba

Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight – Mark Moczygemba

Faith Formation Classes:

DRE – Rebecca Raabe (830-484-3303)

Funeral Committee:

Leader – Carolyn Krawietz (830-484-3329)

Church Website:

Denise Knight

blessedsacramentpoth.org

Blessed Sacrament Choir

Director – Ginger Jarzombek 830-534-9340



The Healing Rosary

The Litany of our Blessed Mother, and the Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, is being prayed every

Thursday in the Church

beginning at 5:00pm and on Sunday evenings at 4:00pm in the Church Pray for yourself, pray for another.

Mass Intentions For The Week of October 12th through October 18th 2026

Monday, October 12th

NO MASS

Tuesday, October 13th

6:00pm

✠Rose & Jerome Labus

The Blessing of Rain

Wednesday, October 14th

6:00pm

✠Elsie Waclawczyk

✠Charles Dziuk

✠Emerick Moczygemba

✠Antonio & Rosa Dehoyos, Sam Pedraza

✠Larry Koether

The Blessing of Rain

Thursday, October 15th

6:00pm

✠Eleanore Kotara

✠Margie Crosby

✠Ramon & Juanita Cantu

✠Joe Keller & Dorothy Cook

✠Leroy, Geraldine, Thomas & Pelagia Gorzell

✠Fred Wauters

Vocations

The Blessing of Rain

Friday, October 16th

7:00am

✠Daniel & Jane Hosek

Poth Athletic Club

The Blessing of Rain

Saturday, October 17th (NEW MASS TIME)

4:00pm

Living & Deceased Members of the Stavino Family

✠Edmond & Martina Laskowski, Paul & Marie Hosek

The Blessing of Rain

Sunday, October 18th

7:30am

✠Adrian & Regina Foegelle

✠Walter Rakowitz & Deceased Family Members

The Blessing of Rain

9:30am

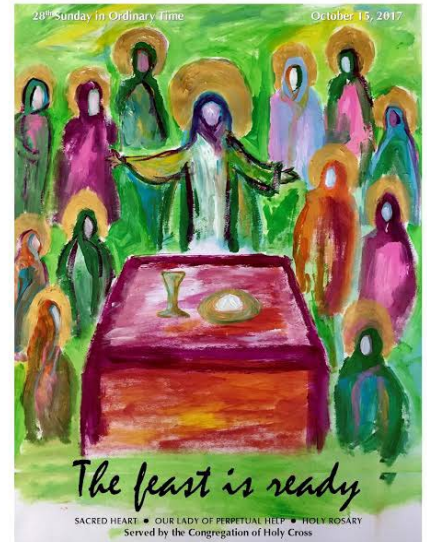
✠The Parish Family

The Blessing of Rain

11:00am (Spanish Mass)

✠The Poor Souls in Purgatory

The Blessing of Rain



MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 17, 2026 (4:00 PM Mass) (NEW MASS TIME)

Deacon: Deacon Jesse

Lector: Carol Hosek

Body of Christ Minister: Deacon Jesse

Blood of Christ Ministers: Terry Gorzell, Dawn Dylla

Choir: Peter Kane

Ushers & Counters: Joyce & Howard Labus, Jeff & Cynthia Kruse

Sunday, October 18, 2026 (7:30 AM Mass)

Deacon: Deacon Jesse

Lector: Jennifer Krudwig

Body of Christ Minister: Deacon Jesse

Blood of Christ Ministers: Otillia Montez, Jan Rippstein

Choir: Francine Dugi

Ushers & Counters: Janice & Karl Kersh, Betty & Jerry Moy

Sunday, October 18, 2026 (9:30 AM Mass)

Deacon: Deacon Jesse

Lector: Rosie Nunez

Body of Christ Minister: Deacon Jesse

Blood of Christ Ministers: Brandye Meyer, Gerri Garza

Choir: BSC Choir

Ushers & Counters: Amy & Harvey Lyssy, Rookie & Shawn Nelson



**WE PRAY FOR THE
SICK IN OUR
COMMUNITY: LET**

US PRAY: May the Lord of Love and Mercy send the grace of healing and consolation upon all our sick in the Parish and in our community, especially: *Archie Wiatrek, Debbie Spaulding, Kolston Weed, Kathy Summers, Maggie Jarzombek, Sarah Soto, Maria Herrera, Cookie Zuniga, Khloe Wyatt, Michael Pena, Leroy Mutz, Claude Olenick, Ryder Drzymala; Tommye Rihn-Lysaght, Elaine Vontur, Alvino Castellano, Megan Garcia, Annette Pruski, Elaine Felux, Jesus Daniel Arellano, Juanita Flores, Randy (Maya) Padilla, Marie Ponce, Rita Olenick, Robert Vontur, Al Kollodziej.* Please call the rectory to add or remove someone from our list.



Let us Pray for those in the

MILITARY: Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen. *Isaiah Garcia,*

Noah Wiatrek, Christian Nelson, Derek Raabe, Baldemar Flores IV, Steve Martinez, Mark Sagado.

Gracious God – We ask that you bless those who reside in our local nursing homes. Bless them with loving caretakers and friends and family that respect and care for them. Keep them in your prayers.

Harmony Hills Nursing Home

Dolores Kieke

Prairie Meadows: Bernice Moy, Frances Raabe; Margie Arnold, Angie DeHoyos. Katie Hernandez

Assisted Living: Marilyn Millikin

John Paul – Benjamin Dugi, Wilbert Felux
Pleasanton North Health & Rehab; Dora Cervantes

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL
OBSERVANCES**

Wednesday: St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr

Thursday: St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

Friday: St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin

Saturday: St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr

**Offertory Collection Totals for
10/03 – 10/04**

Sunday -\$7,027.00

Cemetery - \$790.00

Archbishop's Appeal –
GOAL - \$15,160

TOTAL RAISED - \$6,636.00
41 Families Donated

**Seton Home Donations
October 2026**

Teen and child coats and jackets.

Bible Study

Canceled for this week and next.

ALL SOULS NOVENA

All Souls Novena is November 2nd-10th. Father Damian will have nine Holy Masses offered for our departed brothers and sisters. If you wish to participate, please **“Clearly Print or Type”** the names of your loved ones on the envelope provided in your packet or on a plain piece of paper and submit as soon as possible. A group of names will be read aloud before the rosary. The rosary will be prayed by Father Damian;

Monday, 11/2 – 5:30pm

Tuesday, 11/3 – 5:30pm

Wednesday, 11/4 – 5:30pm

Thursday, 11/5 – 5:30pm

Friday, 11/6 – 7:30am

Saturday, 11/7 – 3:30pm

Sunday, 11/8 – 9:00am

Monday, 11/9- 5:30pm (Communion Svc.)

Tuesday, 11/10 – 5:30pm

Cemetery Mass for

All Soul's Day

Sunday, November 1st

at 3:00PM

The Rosary will begin at 3:00 PM, followed by the Holy Mass.

After Mass, Father and the Deacons will bless gravesites upon request. If you would like a gravesite blessed, please stand near the site you wish to have blessed. Father has confirmed that attending this Mass fulfills your Sunday Obligation. We kindly ask for volunteers to help set up chairs. Please meet at the Parish Hall at 2:15 PM so we have time to prepare at the cemetery.

Thank you for your support and participation.

**Archdiocese 100th
Anniversary**

All parishes are invited to celebrate the **100th Anniversary of our Archdiocese on Saturday, November 7th, at Nelson Wolff Stadium.**

Join Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller, MSPS, for the Centennial Mass and the proclamation of our new Archdiocesan Pastoral Vision.

Gates open at 3:00 PM | Mass begins at 4:00 PM

Free Event — Reserve your seat at AssemblySA.org

There will be NO Saturday evening Masses. All are encouraged to attend the Centennial Celebration!

ALL SAINTS' DAY:

On Saturday, October 31st All Saints will be celebrated at the **4:00PM Mass.** There will be candles set on the Altar railing for our loved ones that have passed away and were buried here since All Saints Day of 2025. **As Father calls out their name, a family member is asked to come up and light one candle in their**

memory. We had 29 souls enter into eternal rest. Let us pray for the following: **Emmet Lloyd Rotter, Stephan DeHoyos, Edna Uhlig, Larry Lee Rapstine, Laurie Ann Reusink, Lurker Fae Grace, Emerick Moczygamba, Cecilio Garcia Sr., Albert Faktor, Roger V. Criswell, Charles Dziuk Jr., Maria Martiana Huizar, Gerald Joseph “Jerry” Dziuk, Allan Nocker, Larry Wayne Hanzelka, Margaret Korzekwa Denning, Jose Lius Huizar, Russell Maris, Fabian Wacławczyk, Marie Hosek, Gladys Yosko Pawelek, Lester J. West, Virginia Rose Maha, Genoveva Rocha, Jane Frances Opiela, Clarence Michael Dziuk, Cecilia Aranda Palmarez, Larry Koether, Margie Crosby, Wilbert Felux.**

Since we have such a large group participating this year, we will be lining up those who will be lighting the candle on the outside aisles.

We will line everyone up according to the date of death, beginning with the earliest date.

Funeral Notices

It is with great sadness that we bring to you the news of the passing of **Margie Crosby**, wife of Deacon Alan Crosby. Viewing begins at 3:30pm on Sunday, October 11th in the Church.

Rosary will be recited at 5:00pm.

Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Monday at 10:00am.

Another dear parishioner **Wilbert Felux** husband of Dolores Felux went to be with our Lord this past Wednesday. Rosary is on Tuesday, October 13th with Viewing beginning at 9:00am with the Rosary at 10:00am and Funeral Mass at 10:30am. Please keep these families in your prayers.

**Spanish Mass is next
Sunday, October 18th at
11:00am.**

**Panna Maria Turkey Dinner
Sunday, October 11th**

Plates are \$15 and serving begins at 10:30am.

**Cestohowa Turkey Dinner
Sunday, October 18th**

Plates are \$15 and serving begins at 11:00am.

About Pastor Appreciation Day

Pastor Appreciation Day is observed
**on the second Sunday of October,
falling this year on Sunday,**

October, 11, 2026. It is a day on which
congregations across the United States set
aside time to thank their pastors and
ministers for their service, leadership, and
care. The day sits within Clergy
Appreciation Month, a wider October
observance dedicated to honoring pastoral
staff and their families.

*This month, we dedicate our prayers and
gratitude to our Shepherd here on earth—
our fearless leader, Father Damian, who
faithfully guides us on our spiritual
journey and helps lead us toward
salvation.*

Father Damian, we appreciate everything you
do for us: every prayer, every Mass, every
blessing, and every word of guidance and
encouragement. Your dedication to serving God
and His people does not go unnoticed.

Today and every day, we pray for you. May
God continue to strengthen you, bless you, and
keep you steadfast in your calling to serve as
our Priest through both good times and difficult
ones. When the storms of life come, you are
always there to help guide us through.
May this month be filled with an abundance of
prayers, blessings, peace, and joy for you. May
you always know how deeply loved,
appreciated, and supported you are by the
people you faithfully serve.

**Thank you, Father Damian, for being
our Shepherd. May God continue to bless
you abundantly!**

**Don't forget to grab a cookie on
your way out and celebrate with
Father Damian.**

Saturday Evening Mass Time Change

After receiving many requests to change
the Saturday evening Mass time from 5:30
p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Father and Parish
Council have agreed that we are going to
give it a try!

**Beginning Saturday, October 17,
and every Saturday thereafter,
we will celebrate
Holy Mass at 4:00 p.m.**

We hope this change will bring our 4:00 p.m.
parishioners back to our church. We also hope
that, especially during the winter months, *the
earlier Mass time will allow those of us who
have difficulty seeing in the dark to get home
earlier and safely.* We sincerely hope this
change will be a positive one and that most of
our parish family will be pleased with the new
time. As we all know, we cannot please
everyone, and there may be some who do not
agree with the change. However, we are willing
to give it a try and see how it works for our
parish. Again, we hope everyone will be happy
with the new Saturday evening Mass time, and
we look forward to seeing a packed church on
Saturday evenings and Sunday mornings!
Thank you all for your understanding, support,
and continued dedication to our parish!

Important Instructions for Ushers and Counters

Please arrive at the church at least 45
minutes before Mass. This will allow us to
count those who arrive early and ensure that
everyone entering the church is included.

We also ask that you please make the
counting process as quiet and discreet as
possible, so that it does not distract from
prayer or the preparation for Mass. This
will be a tremendous task, and we truly
appreciate your patience, attention to detail,
and cooperation. Thank you again for your
service and for helping us complete this
important responsibility. Please count
outside of the church if you are counting at
the entrance. **We only need one**

**counter at the side Handicap
door.**

***The additional Ushers will be noted
on the Ministry Schedule. Please
check for your assignment.***

***Clipboards will be at the entrance of
the church and the side door entrance
on the window sill.***

Senior Citizens Mass & Luncheon

Thursday, October 22nd.

Mass at 10:00 am followed by
fellowship, fun and food. A
variety of soups and cornbread
will be provided as the main
course. Desserts are welcome!
A sign up sheet will be posted
at the Church entrance. Thank
you

The Holy Rosary

***"In honor of October as the
Month of the Holy Rosary, the
KJT – Catholic Union of Texas -
Society #81 Poth, is delighted to
offer parishioners and guests a
Blessed Rosary Ring – a gift for
your hands and your
heart. Please pick one up in the
narthex of the Church. God Bless
& pray the Rosary!"***

Every October 7, the Church
celebrates the Feast of Our Lady of the
Rosary. But that was not its original
name. The feast was first called Our
Lady of Victory because it
commemorated an incredible military
victory attributed to Mary's
intercession.

In 1571, the powerful Ottoman navy

was advancing across the
Mediterranean. Christian Europe was
divided, and many feared that its
forces could not withstand another
attack. Pope St. Pius V worked to
unite the Christian nations into the
Holy League, but he knew that ships
and soldiers would not be enough. He
asked Catholics throughout Europe to
pray the Rosary. While the fleet
prepared for battle, ordinary Catholics
gathered in churches, monasteries, and
homes. On October 7, the Holy
League encountered the much-feared
Ottoman fleet near Lepanto. After
hours of fierce fighting, the Christian
fleet won an unexpected and decisive
victory. According to tradition, Pope
Pius V learned of the victory before
any messenger could have reached
Rome. During a meeting, he suddenly

rose, went to a window, and
announced that the Christian forces
had prevailed. Convinced that the
victory had been obtained through
God's providence and Mary's

intercession, Pope Pius V established
the Feast of Our Lady of Victory. A
few years later, Pope Gregory XIII
renamed it the Feast of Our Lady of
the Rosary. Now the feast would not
bear the name of the battle but the
name of the prayer offered by
countless ordinary believers! Most

Catholics will never face a naval
battle, but everyone faces struggles
that seem beyond human strength. A
child leaves the Faith. A marriage is
strained. A terminal illness is

diagnosed. Fear begins to overcome
hope. The Feast of Our Lady of the
Rosary reminds us that through
prayer, we place our battles into God's
hands. The Rosary draws us into the
mysteries of Christ and teaches us to
face every struggle with Mary's faith,
courage, and trust.

October 7th is recognized as Our Lady
of Victory. While many, many saints,
popes and even friends, encourage us
to pray the rosary – the Fatima

message from Our Lady is to pray the
rosary daily. It is no repetitive prayer
but a battering ram against Satan and
the evil that seeks to ruin souls. One

Catholic podcaster always says –
"pray the Rosary or you're not on the
team" I feel that in our sports
obsessed culture – we want to be on
the winning team...there's no better
team to be on as we KNOW Jesus
Wins in the end!!!!