**Parish Services/Ministries**

**Anointing of the Sick:**

Call 830-484-3302

**Adoration**:

Every 1st Friday of the Month

7:30am – 4:30pm

**Baptism**:

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

**Confessions**:

Before Masses

**Deacons**:

Deacon Alan Crosby

Deacon Michael Velasquez

**Marriage**:

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

**RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

Contact Father or Gerri Garza (830-484-2260) or (830-200-9854).

**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 – Gerri Garza

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas:**

Regent – Karen Ulrich

**Junior Catholic Daughters**

Chairman – Lisa West

Co-Chairman – Deborah Felux Henke

President – Emma Johnson

**Knights of Columbus**

Grand Knight – Terry Gorzell

**Faith Formation Classes:**

DRE – Rebecca Raabe

**Funeral Committee**:

Leader – Carolyn Krawietz

**Church Website**:

blessedsacramentpoth.org

**The Healing Rosary**

****The Litany of our Blessed Mother, and the Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, is being recited every Thursday at 6:00pm in the Church and Sunday evening beginning at **5:00 pm** in the music room at the Faith Formation Building. Pray for yourself, pray for another.

**Seton Home Donations for November**

Dish Drying Racks, Liquid Dish Soap, Hand Soap, Hygiene Products, Deodorant & Toothpaste.

**Mass Intentions For The Week of**

**November 5th thru November 11th 2018**

**Monday, November 5 (MASS IN THE MORNING)**

**7:00AM**

✞Don & Maxine Albrecht

✞Albert & Minnie Casares

✞Lillian Janik

Thanksgiving for Rain Received

**Tuesday, November 6**

**NO MASS**

**Wednesday, November 7 (First Day of Novena)**

**6:30pm**

✞All Souls

Thanksgiving for Rain Received

**Thursday, November 8 (MASS IN THE MORNING)**

**7:00AM**

✞All Souls

Thanksgiving for Rain Received

**Friday, November 9**

**7:00am**

✞All Souls

Thanksgiving for Rain Received

**Saturday, November 10**

**5:30pm**

✞All Souls

Thanksgiving for Rain Received

**Sunday, November 11**

**7:30am**

✞All Souls

Thanksgiving for Rain Received

**10:00am**

Parish Family

Thanksgiving for Rain Received

**11:15am (Children’s Mass)**

✞Alyssa Olivo

Thanksgiving for Rain Received

**WEEKLY MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

Dates Lector Eucharistic Organist Greeters

lt Servers

All

Present

At Mass

Times Commentator Ministers Ushers

11/10 Brandy Meyer Dawn Dylla \*\*\*\* Paul Hosek

5:30pm Heather Meyer Chris Kotara

11/11 Otillia Montez Debbie Wiatrek Francine Dugi Rodney Kotara

7:30am Ophelia Flores Steve Kotara

11/11 Gerri Garza Maggie Jarzombek \*\*\*\* Curt Raabe

10:00am Trisha Marquart Michael Jarzombek

11/11 Student DeAnn Pollok Students Student

11:15am Student Student

**ALTAR SERVERS – ALL PRESENT AT MASS**

**The Second Collection for the weekend of 11/3 – 11/4 will be for the Needy in our Community.**

**The Second Collection for the weekend of 11/17 – 11/18 will be for the Campaign for Human Development.**

**The Second Collection for the weekend of 11/24 – 11/25 will be for the Capital Campaign Fund (On the Way Andale).**

**Offertory Collection Totals for 10/27 – 10/28**

**Sunday** - $4,570.34; **Needy** - $75.00; **Mission Sunday** - $2.00

C**apital Campaign Fund (Running Total)** - $51,575.91

**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**: Mary Waclawczyk (10/31), JoAnn Pawelek (10/18), Johnny Pawelek (10/18), Shawna Wiatrek (10/18), Shelby Koehler (10/11), Kolston Weed (10/1), Lewis Bayer (10/1), Patricia Pollok (10/1), Janice Green (9/19), Annette Pruski (9/19), Father John Wagner (9/12), Alan Crosby (9/6), Bertha Guevara (8/24), John Tackitt (8/1), Ruth Poth (7/25), Leonarda De La Garza (7/11), Shanna Swierc (6/14).**  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**. **Thom Raabe, Charlie Raabe, Derek Raabe,** **Becka Opiela, Alan Johns, Dale Arnold**, **Alison Moczygemba, Baldemar Flores IV.**

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday**: Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time; National Vocation Awareness Week; Daylight Saving Time ends

**Tuesday**: Election Day

**Friday**: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday**: Phil 2:1-4; Ps 131:1bcde-3; Lk 14:12-14

**Tuesday**: Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-30ab, 30e, 31-32; Lk 14:15-24

**Wednesday**: Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 14:25-33

**Thursday**: Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 15:1-10

**Friday**: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

**Saturday**: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9; Lk 16:9-15

**Sunday**: 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7-10; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 [41-44]

**PRAY FOR THE DEAD**

Let us not hesitate to help those who have died and offer our prayers for them.

—St. John Chrysostom

**Choir News**

BSC Choir Schedule for November is Sunday, November 4th & 25th.

**Altar Society Meeting**

The Altar Society will meet on Thursday, November 8th in the Parish Hall. **WE WILL MEET AT 7:00PM**. The hostesses are Jackie Kutac, Lillian Laskowski, Ester Luna & Amy Lyssy.

**Catholic Daughters Food Drive for Poth School District**

Catholic Daughters are sponsoring a Food Drive for the Needy Families in our Poth School System. They will be collecting non perishable foods. All donations can be placed in the collection box at the entrance of the church.

**NEITHER DESPAIR NOR PRESUME**

Two criminals were crucified with Christ. One was saved; do not despair. One was not; do not presume.

—St. Augustine

**Thank You**A huge thank you to the gentlemen that made sure our cemetery was cleaned, mowed and ready for All Souls Day. This is no easy task and after the beautiful rains we’ve been blessed with it was difficult keeping up with it. But everything looks fresh and beautiful. And we appreciate all of you that took time out to clean your relative’s gravesites and placed new flowers on them. It is truly a wonderful tribute to our deceased family and friends.

**November 11, 2018 – KJT & KJZT Member Appreciation Dinner**

All members of the KJT and KJZT are invited to attend the annual Member Appreciation Dinner and meeting scheduled for Sunday, November 11th, 2018 at 11:30am at the Parish Hall.  Registration begins at 11:15a with meetings starting at 11:30am.  Following the meeting, a brisket lunch with trimmings will be served and celebrated with the Poth KJZT Society.  Please bring a dessert to share.  Children’s activities and bingo are planned.  Please RSVP to Lawrence Jansky at 484-3723, Jackie Moczygemba at 210-325-2692 or Jane Hosek at 484- 2845 by November 6th.

Sneak Peek

We had a sneak peek of the new handrails that are going to be installed in the front of the church and they are amazing. Our very own Mr. John Dziuk designed and built these beauties. Hopefully we will have them in time for the upcoming holidays. And in addition to their beauty we know that their full purpose is to keep everyone safe when entering and exiting the church. But we are very excited about our new enhancement to our beautiful church. Thanks John for using the gift that God gave you and giving back to the church. God bless!!!!

**HEALING ROSARY FOR SUNDAY**

**TIME CHANGE**

Effective **November 4th**, the **SUNDAY** Healing Rosary will be held at 5:00pm. This will be the new time for the fall and winter seasons.

**Capital Campaign**

**Announcement #5**

Next weekend will mark the official start for the On the Way – Andale Capital Campaign at Blessed Sacrament Church. This major fundraising effort will address our parish’s needs and archdiocesan needs including seed money for the establishment of new parishes in areas of growth, funds in support of the social services Catholic Charities renders to over 230,000 people a year, the establishment of a pilgrimage center at Mission Concepcion, support for lay ministry formation, the modernization of Assumption Seminary to support priestly formation, the renovation of Catholic Schools across the archdiocese, and strengthening Campus Ministry at Texas A & M San Antonio and UTSA. The preparation phase of the capital campaign began last fall. The archbishop and a leadership team of campaign general chairs have been meeting with major gift donors for the last several months to provide the On the Way-Andale Capital Campaign with momentum. As we join other parishes in participating in the pilot wave of this important effort, it is with great joy that we report the campaign has already secured gifts and pledges totaling more than $37,500,000. It is now our turn to continue the great momentum they started. We will be officially kicking off the On the Way – Andale Campaign at Masses on November 10th – 11th. It is an exciting time to be a Catholic in South Central Texas!!!

**Children’s Mass**

All youth are invited to the Children’s mass which will be held on Sunday, Nov. 11th at 11:15am.

**Sunday School**

Next Sunday School sessions are Sunday, Nov. 18th and Nov. 25th.

**An Oldie but a Goodie**

A Polish immigrant went to the DMV to apply for a driver’s license. First, of course, he had to take an eye sight test. The optician showed him a card with the letters: C Z W I X N O S T A C Z. The optician asked “Can you read this?” Read it? The Polish guy replied, “I know the guy”.

**Community Thanksgiving Service**

This year everyone is cordially invited to the Glory and Faith Church for the Annual Thanksgiving Service. Join other church worshippers from our community for a spiritually filled afternoon of fellowship, music and good food. The service will be held on Sunday, November 11th at 3:00pm at the Glory and Faith Church. Afterwards everyone is invited to the small VFW hall for a delicious meal.



Oh Heavenly and mighty Father, we give You thanks and praise for the privilege to participate in choosing those who would lead our country.  You are Lord over us and our nation.

We thank You for the opportunity that this election time now puts before us.  As we exercise our solemn duty to vote, guide and direct our minds and hearts, so that we do so with Godly wisdom and Your guidance. Know God that we have Faith in your wisdom and humbly seek your will in the plan you have for all of our lives. AMEN

**ALL SOULS NOVENA**

All Souls Novena is November 7th - 15th. Father Gregory 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 said by Father Gregory;

**Wednesday, 11/7 – 6:00pm**

**Thursday, 11/8 – 7:30am**

**Friday, 11/9 – 7:30am**

**Saturday, 11/10 – 5:00pm**

**Sunday, 11/11 – 9:30am**

**Monday, 11/12 –6:00pm**

**Tuesday, 11/13 – 6:00pm**

**Wednesday, 11/14 – 6:00pm**

**Thursday, 11/15 – 7:30am.**