

**Parish Services/Ministries**

**Anointing of the Sick:**

Call 830-484-3302

**Adoration:**

Every 1<sup>st</sup> 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 – Madison West

**Knights of Columbus**

Grand Knight – Anthony Cantu

**Faith Formation Classes:**

DRE – Rebecca Raabe

**Funeral Committee:**

Leader – Carolyn Krawietz

**Church Website:**

blesseedsacramentpoth.org

**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 5:30pm**. Pray for yourself, pray for another.

**Children's Mass**

for February is this Sunday, February 9th **at 11:00am**. All youth are expected attend.

**Mass Intentions For The Week of February 10<sup>th</sup> thru February 16<sup>th</sup> 2020**

**Monday, February 10**

NO MASS

**Tuesday, February 11**

6:30pm

✠ Emory Jones, Debbie Billimek Gorzell  
Conrad, Victoria, Frank & Florence Dugi  
Blessing of Rain

**Wednesday, February 12**

6:30pm

✠ Henry Sr., Mary Rose & John Sekula  
✠ Tim Sturm  
✠ Eddie Enriquez  
Blessing of Rain

**Thursday, February 13**

6:30pm

✠ Wilbert Stavinoha  
✠ Mr. & Mrs. Z.A. Keller, Mr. & Mrs. Ed F. Wiatrek,  
And Mary Louise Wiatrek  
Blessing of Rain

**Friday, February 14**

7:00am

✠ Johnny & Betty Pawelek  
Blessing of Rain

**Saturday, February 15**

5:30pm

✠ Genaro Sr. & Edelmira Guevara and Deceased  
Family Members  
Blessing of Rain

**Sunday, February 16**

7:30am

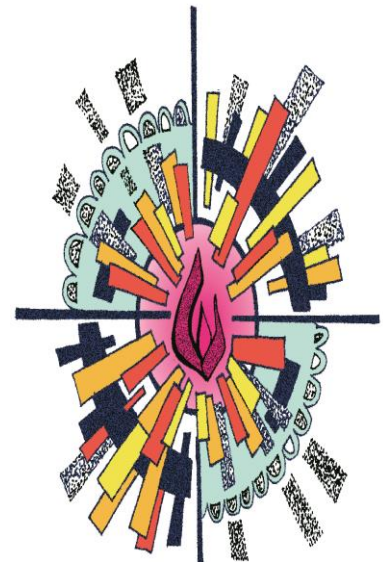
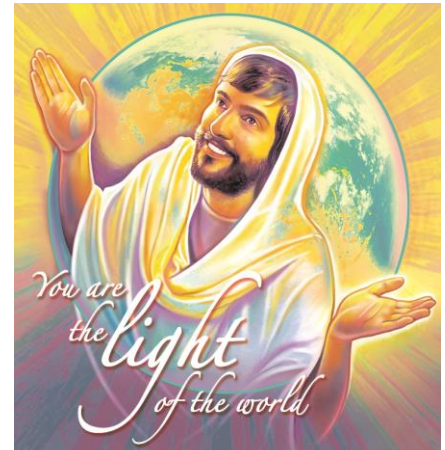
✠ Alphonse Kotara  
Blessing of Rain

9:30am

Parish Family  
Blessing of Rain

**11:00am (Spanish Mass)**

Special Intention by D. Kieke  
Blessing of Rain



**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

Dates Times	Lector Commentator	Eucharistic Ministers	Organist	Greeters Ushers
02/15 5:30pm	Cynthia Kruse Carol Hosek	Dawn Dylla	Bob Green	Jeff Kruse Kenneth Hosek
02/16 7:30am	Debbie Wiatrek *****	Jan Rippstein	Francine Dugi	Patrick Skloss Gregory Scheffler
02/16 9:30am	Janie Hennig Otilia Montez	Gerri Garza	Community Choir	Elijah Nelson Connor West

**ALTAR SERVERS – ALL PRESENT AT MASS**

The Second Collection for the weekend of 2/22 – 2/23 will be for the Capital Campaign Fund.

**Offertory Collection Totals for**

**02/01 - 02/02**

Sunday - \$7,339.61; Needy - \$751.00; Church in Latin America - \$55.00  
Archbishop's Appeal 2020 (Goal - \$14, 331.00) - \$1,245.00  
Capital Campaign Fund (Running Total) - \$157,860.92;

**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: *Evangeline*

*Urbanczyk (2/5), Theresa Dziuk (1/02), Kolston Weed (12/26), Alex Gonzales (12/4), Anita Castellano (12/4), Gerald Dziuk (10/17), Margie Arnold (10/10), John Herber (10/1), Chip Herber (10/1), Brygida Jaje (9/11), Arlene Kroll (8/29), Cherral Frerich (8/7), Jodi Stadler (7/31), Lewis Bayer (7/10), Danielle Felux (6/27), Edwin Dziuk Sr. (5/20), Sally Coronado (4/8), Catherine Kotara (3/27), Fabian Waclawczyk (1/31), Karen Moczygamba (1/23), Cande Guevara (12/20), Joe B. Wiatrek (12/5), Joseph Henke (11/16), Mary Waclawczyk (10/31), JoAnn Pawelek (10/18), Shawna Wiatrek (10/18), Patricia Pollok (10/1), Janice Green (9/19), John Tackitt (8/1), 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. Michael Jarzombek, Christian Nelson, Thom Raabe, Charlie Raabe, Derek Raabe, Alan Johns, Alison Moczygamba, Baldemar Flores IV.

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.

**Floresville Nursing Home**

Mary Ann Coldewey, Rosalie Kasper, Paul Hosek, Marie Hosek, Gladys Maha, Carol Richter, Gertrude Eckel.

**Regency:** Rose Kotara, Delia Cervantes, Alois Zaiantz, Josie Swientek.

**Assisted Living:** Ruth Poth  
**John Paul** – Lucy Felux

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday:** Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Marriage Day  
**Monday:** St. Scholastica  
**Tuesday:** Our Lady of Lourdes; World Day of the Sick  
**Wednesday:** Lincoln’s Birthday  
**Friday:** Ss. Cyril and Methodius; Valentine’s Day  
**Saturday:** Blessed Virgin Mary

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132:6-7, 8-10; Mk 6:53-56  
**Tuesday:** 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84:3-5, 10-11; Mk 7:1-13  
**Wednesday:** 1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7:14-23  
**Thursday:** 1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106:3-4, 35-37, 40; Mk 7:24-30  
**Friday:** 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19; Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-15; Mk 7:31-37  
**Saturday:** 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-22; Mk 8:1-10  
**Sunday:** Sir 15:15-20; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37 [20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37]

**Seton Home Donations February 2020**

Newborn – 12 mo. /Clothing and Shoes.

**Donation Envelope #0099**

Can the family using Envelope #0099 please call the Church Office? This number is inactive.

We’d like to make sure the donation gets reported to the family giving it.

**Catholic Daughters Newsletters**

Newsletters are now available at the entrance of the church. Pick your copy up and checkout what the CDA ladies have been up to.

**Children’s Mass**

Beginning in March of 2020 the Children’s Mass will be celebrated at the 9:30am Mass every second Sunday of the month. The Mass Intention will remain as “For the Parish Family” but the homily will be geared toward the children. Father wants to try this new time slot to see how it goes. January and February Children’s Mass will still be celebrated at 11:00am. He hopes making it earlier might bring in an even greater number of young people for Mass. We wish him much success....

**Floresville Deanery**

Our Deanery is looking for one lay person of firm faith, high moral character and prudence for the Archdiocesan Pastoral Council of San Antonio. (APC) is an advisory group to the Archbishop to reflect upon and examine those things pertaining to the pastoral activities and apostolic works of the Archdiocese of SA. Specific criteria can be found on the flyer at the entrance of the church. If interested you may contact Father Dennis Jarzombek. His information can be found on the flyer.

**Altar Society Meeting**

Thursday, February 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall. Hostesses are Dorothy Wiatrek, Elaine Wiatrek, Mary Rose Wiatrek and Laurette Yanta.

**Women’s ACT’S Retreat February 13-16, 2020 Moyer Retreat Center**

Anyone interested in joining a group of beautiful women dedicated to bringing others to Jesus may complete an application that can be found at the entrance of the church.

**Catholic Daughter Dues**

The membership fees (\$25.00) for 2020 are now due. If you place your payment into the donation basket at one of the weekend masses please make sure to mark it CDA Dues. You can also mail it to Diane Pape at P.O. 476, Poth TX 78147.

## The Search Is On

We are looking for someone that might be able to lead Vacation Bible School this year. Tracy Moody who has done it for us for years will need to step aside this year. She will be around for guidance but will not be available for the majority of the planning. If anyone is interested please give Becky Raabe a call. She or Tracy can let you know exactly what the requirements are and what is involved.

## Catholic Daughters Texas Memorial Scholarship

All high school senior JCDA members or seniors who have a mother or grandmother in CDA may apply for the Local CDA Scholarship. Deadline for Local is March 1, 2020. Applications can be found at the High School Counselors office.

## BINGO

Join us on Sunday,  
February 16<sup>th</sup> for a fun  
filled game of Bingo.  
Parish Hall from  
3:00 - 5:00pm.

## Catholic Daughters Spring Fling

Catholic Daughters are sponsoring a Bunco Fundraiser and Luncheon on Saturday, March 21st from 11:00am to 2:00pm in the Parish Hall. \$15.00 per ticket – Pre Sale Only!! All proceeds benefit our CDA #1178 Charities.  
**Everyone is Cordially Invited.**

## Catholic Life Social

Poth Branch #88 will host their Annual Social on Sunday, March 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:00am in the Parish Hall. Please RSVP to Darrell Labus at 830-393-4900 or email at [dlabus@felpsis.net](mailto:dlabus@felpsis.net) by February 28<sup>th</sup>. They will also have Mass at 7:30am for the Living & Deceased Members of Catholic Life Insurance.

## Youth Spectacular 2020

Walking in the Way of Love  
All teenagers in Middle School and High School are invited to the largest archdiocesan youth gathering to be held on March 21, 2020 at St. Mary's University from 8:30am to 4:00pm. The event will feature dynamic keynote speaker Father Agustino Torres, a concert by RVBATO and Mass presided by Archbishop Gustavo. Admission is \$20. For more information visit [www.archsa.org/YS2020](http://www.archsa.org/YS2020) or call 210-734-1679.

Lent begins on  
Ash Wednesday,  
February 26<sup>th</sup>.

## Thank You

KC's and Catholic Daughters wish to thank everyone for celebrating Super Bowl Sunday with them. It was another successful year and they sincerely hope everyone enjoyed the food. Thanks Again.

## "The Congregation of Divine Providence will host their annual Moya-Di Gras event at

the Braden Keller Center, 1410 Amelia St., in Castroville on Saturday, February 22, 2020 from 6:30 p.m. to 11 p.m. A play on the popular Mardi Gras, or Fat Tuesday, which takes place the day before Ash Wednesday, our Moya-Di Gras incorporates the name of Father John Martin Moya, the Congregation's founder. The evening features a menu of New Orleans favorites catered by Acadiana Cajun Cafe, complemented by an open bar including wine, beer and margaritas. Dancing, a spirited live auction, raffle and loads of fun round out the evening. Come support Moya Retreat Center and the Sisters of Divine Providence. Your \$50 ticket can be purchased at [www.cdptexas.org](http://www.cdptexas.org)."

Poth Youth Ministry  
Monday, February 10<sup>th</sup> @  
7pm  
Poth Blessed Sacrament  
Parish Hall  
Open to all area high school teens



## Reflection

Today, we hear God's response to the people after the return from exile. The lyrical first reading tells us that God is not won over by rigorous, self-righteous fasts and sacrifices. The fast the Lord wished was as near as one's own kin. The fast the Lord wished was virtually unavoidable—to share bread, to shelter the oppressed and homeless, to clothe the naked. The compassionate person who performed such deeds would find the Lord very near indeed. One could simply call out, and the Lord would say, "Here I am." These familiar compassionate actions from Isaiah are seen in Jesus over and over. Lest we miss it, Jesus reminds us near the end of his public ministry, when he enumerates the acts of mercy that Isaiah long ago pointed out. In this last judgment story Jesus adds a new flavor—he identifies with those considered least (Matthew 25:31-46).

## Texas:

I'm ready for the  
week!

I got my umbrella, my  
flip flops, turtle neck,  
my suntan lotion, my  
fur coat, my shades,  
my thermals, my tank  
top, and my Vick's!

## Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe

On Ash Wednesday, February 26<sup>th</sup>, a Special Collection will be taken for those living in countries formerly under Communist Rule.