

**Parish Services/Ministries**

**Anointing of the Sick:**

Call 830-484-3302

**Adoration:**

Every 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the Month  
7:30am – 1:30pm

**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 – William Hons

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas:**

Regent – Carol Dziuk

**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:**

Denise Knight  
blessedsacramentpoth.org

**Blessed Sacrament Choir**

Director – Ginger Jarzombek 830-534-9340

**Mass Intentions For The Week of  
March 29<sup>th</sup> 2021 thru April 4<sup>th</sup> 2021**

**Monday, March 29**

NO MASS

**Tuesday, March 30**

NO MASS

**Wednesday, March 31**

6:00pm

✠Leo Schneider  
✠Patrick Moczygemba  
✠Leonard Jr., Leonard Sr. & Rose Rotter  
✠Melissa Mutz Moy  
Blessing of Rain

**Thursday, April 1 (Holy Thursday)**

6:00pm

✠Deceased Members of the  
Alfredo Cervantes Sr. Family  
Vocations & Religious Life  
Blessing of Rain

**Friday, April 2 (Good Friday)**

2:30pm Stations of the Cross

3:00pm Passion of Christ

**Saturday, April 3 (Holy Saturday)**

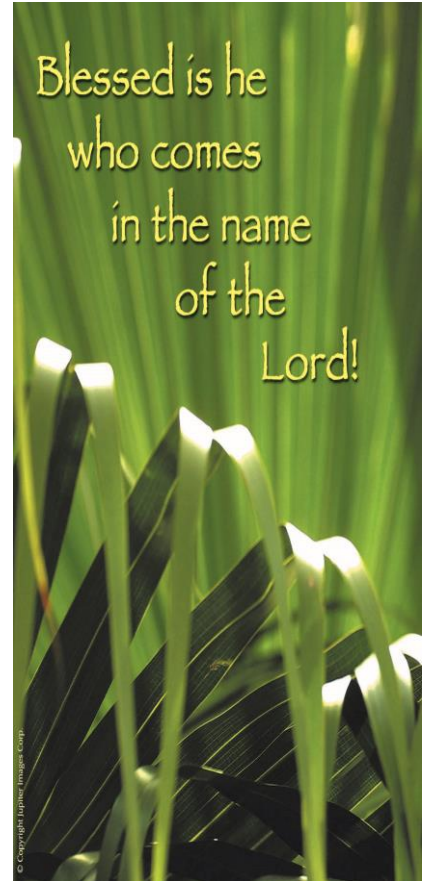
8:00pm

✠Marilyn & Marty Zolkoski & Myrtle Lane  
Blessing of Rain

**Sunday, April 4 (Easter Sunday)**

7:30am

✠Gabriel, Margie & Kathleen Pawelek  
Living & Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus  
Living & Deceased Members of the Catholic Daughters  
Blessing of Rain  
9:30am  
The Parish Family  
Blessing of Rain



**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

Dates Times	Lector Commentator	Eucharistic Ministers	Organist	Greeters Ushers
04/01 6:00pm	Gladys Billimek *****	Deacon	BSC Choir	Jeff & Cynthia Kruse Kenneth & Carol Hosek
04/02 2:30pm	Shawn Nelson Gerri Garza (Stations)	Deacon	BSC Choir	Rodney & Cheryl Kotara Keith & Jennifer Krudwig
04/03 8:00pm	Cynthia Kruse *****	Deacon	BSC Choir	Terry & Verna Gorzell Jeff Kruse
04/04 7:30am	Debbie Wiatrek *****	Deacon	Francine Dugi	Bryan Orth & Jerry Moy John Dziuk & Melvin Dallmeyer
04/04 9:30am	Brandy Meyer *****	Deacon	Bob Green	Mark Jarzombek & Vernon Meyer Curt Raabe & David Pollok

**ALTAR SERVERS – AT LEAST TWO PER MASS**

The Collection on Good Friday will be for the Shrines of the Holy Land.

**Offertory Collection Totals for**

**03/20 – 03/21**

Sunday – \$3,317.00; Easter Flowers - \$437.00

Archbishop's Appeal 2021 – Goal 25% Current – 6.7%

**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 5:00pm in the Faith Formation Building.** Pray for yourself, pray for another.

**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: *Alice Jarzombek (2/10), Gabriel Rodriguez (1/21), Richard Janek (12/8), Cheryl Kotara (12/3), Denise Knight (12/3), Karen Martinez (8/26), Juanita Flores (7/4), Brad Rihn (5/28), Jerry Savage (5/27), Gracie Castellano Trevino (2/13), Evangeline Urbanczyk (2/5), Theresa Dziuk (1/02), Kolston Weed (12/26), Anita Castellano (12/4), 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), Edwin Dziuk Sr. (5/20), Sally Coronado (4/8), Fabian Waclawczyk (1/31), Karen Moczygmba (1/23), Joe B. Wiatrek (12/5), Joseph Henke (11/16), Mary Waclawczyk (10/31), JoAnn Pawelek (10/18), Patricia Pollok (10/1), 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, Derek Raabe, Alan Johns, 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, Proxie Jarzombek.

**Regency:** Rose Kotara, Delia Servin, Alois Zaiontz.

**Assisted Living:** Ruth Poth, Alex Gonzales, Rose Labus

**John Paul** – Lucy Felux

**Seton Home Donations**

**April 2021**

Cleaning Supplies: Pine Sol, dishwasher detergent, Clorox wipes, mops & brooms, 33gal trash bags, paper towels.

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

- Sunday:** Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord; Passover begins at sunset
- Monday:** Monday of Holy Week
- Tuesday:** Tuesday of Holy Week
- Wednesday:** Wednesday of Holy Week
- Thursday:** Holy Thursday; Paschal Triduum begins
- Friday:** Good Friday of the Lord's Passion; Fast and Abstinence
- Saturday:** Holy Saturday; Vigil of Easter

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Monday:** Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1-3, 13-14; Jn 12:1-11
- Tuesday:** Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
- Wednesday:** Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34; Mt 26:14-25
- Thursday:** **Chrism Mass:** Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89:21-22, 25, 27; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21
- Lord's Supper:** Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15
- Friday:** Is 52:13 — 53:12; Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-17, 25; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; Jn 18:1 — 19:42
- Saturday:** a) Gn 1:1 — 2:2 [1:1, 26-31a]; Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35; or Ps 33:4-7, 12-13, 20-22; b) Gn 22:1-18 [1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18]; Ps 16: 5, 8-11; c) Ex 14:15 — 15:1; Ex 15:1-6, 17-18; d) Is 54:5-14; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13; e) Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-6; f) Bar 3:9-15, 32 — 4:4; Ps 19:8-11; g) Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3-4 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 or Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; h) Rom 6:3-11; i) Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Mk 16:1-7
- Sunday:** Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7 or (at an afternoon or evening Mass) Lk 24:13-35

**Blessed Sacrament First Communion**

Sunday, May 2, 2021 to be celebrated in two separate Mass Times. First 11:30am and the Second at 2:00pm.

**Blessed Sacrament Confirmation**

Sunday, May 16, 2021 to be celebrated at 12:00pm.

**Reminder**

Please remember to use Social Distancing when approaching the Altar for Holy Communion. Do not crowd the person in front of you. Unless of course it's a family member! And all of our Rules & Guidelines as mandated by the Archdiocese remain in place until further notice. Please continue to adhere to all COVID rules.

**Archdiocese of San Antonio 2021 Archbishop's Appeal Thought For Meeting our 25% Goal.**

**If every family in the Parish donated \$1.00, yes \$1.00, to the Archbishop's Appeal we would surpass our goal. I am prayerfully asking for your donation for the many ministries that benefit from the Archbishop's Appeal. Search your heart and donate today. May God Bless you Abundantly. Father Damian.**

- Text-To-Give. (210) 750-6712 Keyword: APPEAL
- Give online at [www.archsa.org/appeal](http://www.archsa.org/appeal)
- Complete & return the gift form you received through the mail.
- Call the Archdiocese at (210) 734-1604.



**Faith Formation Classes**

We will not have classes on Wednesday, March 31st. Don't forget to attend Mass during Holy Week. It is an honor and a privilege to attend Mass and worship our Lord Jesus Christ and thank Him for dying on the cross for each and every one of us. Classes will resume the following Wednesday, April 7th.

**What an HONOR and PRIVILEGE**

Need to thank our more experienced Altar Servers for dedicating their time for training and offering to serve during Holy Week.

Jeralyn, Trent & Owen Wiatrek, Jude George, Dane Dylla, Katie Alexander & Maggie Moczygmba.

### Church Office Closed

The church office will close at 12:00pm on Holy Thursday, 4/1 and reopen on Tuesday, 4/6.

### Holy Week Mass Schedule

**Monday of Holy Week**

No Mass

**Tuesday of Holy Week**

No Mass

**Wednesday of Holy Week 6:00pm**

**Holy Thursday**

6:00pm

**Good Friday – Stations of the Cross**

at 2:30pm and The Passion of

Christ – 3:00pm

**Holy Saturday**

8:00pm

**Easter Sunday**

7:30am & 9:30am



### Holy Thursday Adoration

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

begins immediately after the Holy Mass. Everyone is encouraged to participate, just as the disciples stayed with the Lord during His agony on the Mount of Olives before the betrayal by Judas. Every year we divide adoration into three time frames and rotate so everyone shares the late time.

Adoration for families with last names from A - H is 7:00-8:00pm, I - P is 8:00-9:00pm and Q - Z is 9:00-10:00pm. We are asking families to attend accordingly if possible.

### Altar Server Ministry

If you have received the Sacrament of Holy Communion and are ready to Altar Serve please call me or text me (Laurie Lipscomb) at 830-534-3050.

I will make sure someone will help your child with their first time serving.



**First Friday** Adoration is on Friday, 4/9. It will begin after the 7:00am Mass and conclude at 1:30pm. A sign-up sheet can be found on the bulletin board at the entrance of the church

### Divine Mercy Sunday

**Sunday – April 11th**

### Divine Mercy Novena

We will have a 9 day Novena beginning after the Celebration of the Lord's Passion on Good Friday. The schedule will be: After Good Friday's Services; before Mass on Holy Saturday; before 9:30am Mass on Easter Sunday; before Mass on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday; after Mass on Friday and before Mass on Saturday. On Divine Mercy Sunday we will have Benediction and recite the Divine Mercy after each Mass. **Copies of the prayers for the Novena are at the entrance of the church.**

**KC's & Catholic Daughters** will meet on Sunday, April 11<sup>th</sup> immediately following the 7:30am Mass.

**Altar Society** will meet on Thursday, April 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall. We are still not allowing refreshments.

### Attention Ushers

**If you cannot usher during your appointed time please find a replacement.** Please show up early to assist with seating. All COVID rules apply.

If we have a large crowd during any of the masses we will distribute Holy Communion by directing traffic to the outside aisle and have them return to the pew through the center aisle. Father will be standing in front of the Blessed Virgin Mary Statue and the Deacon will be standing in front of the St. Joseph Statue. For the Adoration of the

Cross on Good Friday, we will direct them through the center aisle and they will return to their pew through the outside aisle. Make sure they don't crowd each other. Easter Morning we will have four gentlemen assigned as Ushers for each mass. In addition to your regular duties, you will be responsible for carrying the Processional Canopy over Father Damian and the Holy Eucharist during the procession around the church. Should any of you have any questions feel free to give us a call. 830-534-3050 (Laurie).

### SUFFERING

*Jesus did not come to do away with suffering or remove it. He came to fill it with his presence.*

—Paul Claudel

### The Holy Eucharist

A very important reminder!! When approaching the Altar to receive Holy Communion please be reverent, bow or kneel before receiving the Host, step to the side and place the Host in your mouth. Should the Host drop to the floor please pick the Host up. At that moment the distribution of Holy Communion will stop and either the Priest, Deacon or Altar Server will get a wipe and wipe the floor where the Host was dropped. Particles from the Host should not be left on the floor for others to stomp on and spread throughout the church. This is the Body of Christ. If the Priest, Deacon or Altar Server does not see it happen please bring it to their attention. Please do not be embarrassed. It gets a little difficult to maneuver with a mask on.

### FEAST OF FAITH

#### The Liturgies of Holy Week

Holy Week is the culmination of the liturgical year. During these holy days, the liturgy will lead us, with Jesus, to the depths and to the heights. It begins with a harsh juxtaposition, as we carry palms in remembrance of Christ's triumphant entry into Jerusalem and then listen to the Passion according to Matthew, as the King is handed over for crucifixion. Then, on Holy Thursday, we remember the night Jesus was handed over—the night he gave himself for us and to us, to live in our midst forever in the sacrament of his Body and Blood. On Good Friday, we touch with our hands the mystery of the Lord's cross, the instrument of torture that has become the tree of life. Then, at the great Easter Vigil, the lighting of the paschal candle speaks to us of the triumph of light over darkness, of life over death. The resurrection of the Lord becomes a living reality in our midst as the catechumens for whom the Church has prayed throughout Lent are plunged into the mystery of Christ's death and share in the glory of his resurrection. These are indeed holy days, the culmination of the Church's liturgy, and an invitation to participate in the very life of Christ. Come, let us worship.

—Corinna Laughlin, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

### Traditional Procession for the Risen Christ

Father is planning on having a traditional procession around the outside of the church for the 7:30 and 9:30am Easter Morning Masses. With girls carrying baskets filled with flowers and boys carrying bells we will all process around the church. During our journey we will sing and pray inviting God into our hearts, our homes and our community. To ask for blessing and prosperity upon all of us. Families with little ones even older children. We welcome all of them to spread the flowers and ring the bells. If you happen to have a bell at home we can use please bring it with you. The girls and boys will be situated at the front of the line. We hope the weather is beautiful for this wonderful day.