

Parish Services/Ministries

Anointing of the Sick:

Call 830-484-3302

Adoration:

Every 1st 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 Jesse Nunez

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 September 27th 2021 thru October 3rd 2021

Monday, September 27

NO MASS

Tuesday, September 28

6:00pm

✠Michael Pruski
Blessing of Rain

Wednesday, September 29

6:00pm

✠Leonard Rotter
✠Linda Hernandez
✠Alex Gonzales
✠Leona Kopecki
✠Santos Hernandez Jr.
Special Intention for D.K.
Blessing of Rain

Thursday, September 30

6:00pm

✠Ernie Lyssy
✠Donne & Charles Uhlig
✠Roberto Gonzales & Carlos Santana
Vocations
Blessing of Rain

Friday, October 1

7:00am

Living & Deceased Members of the Altar Society
Blessing of Rain

Saturday, October 2

5:30pm

✠Janice Green
Blessing of Rain

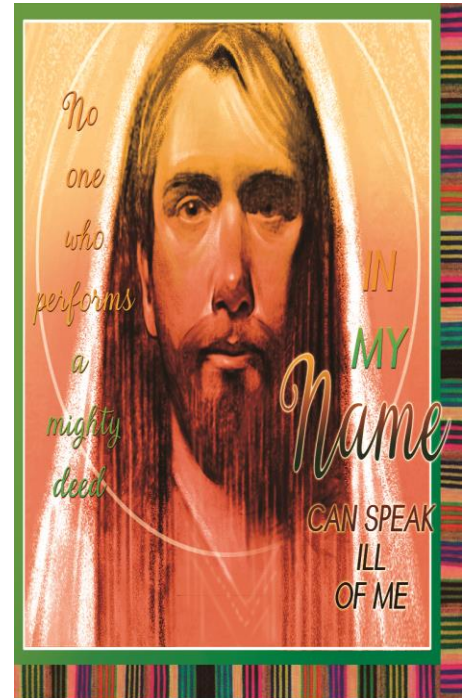
Sunday, October 3

7:30am

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



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MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Dates	Lector	Eucharistic	Organist	Greeters
Times	Commentator	Ministers		Ushers
10/02	Carol Hosek	Ruth Vontur	Peter Kane	Terry & Verna Gorzell
5:30pm	*****			*****
10/03	Ophelia Flores	Jan Rippstein	Francine Dugi	Greg & Michelle Scheffler
7:30am	*****			*****
10/03	Brandy Meyer	Amy Lyssy	BSC Choir	Vernon & Brandy Meyer
9:30am	*****			*****

ALTAR SERVERS – AT LEAST TWO PER MASS

Second Collection for the weekend of 10/2 – 10/3 will be for the Hope For the Future of Catholic Schools.

Offertory Collection Totals for

09/18 – 09/19

Sunday – \$3,433.52

Archbishop's Appeal 2021 – Goal 25% Current – 10.9% (\$12,745.00)

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: **Edward Moseley (9/24); Hudson Dean (9/24); Regina Foegelle (9/15); Archie Wiatrek (8/26); Fabian Moczygamba (8/12), Kristi Hartmann (6/30), Alice Jarzombek (2/10), Gabriel Rodriguez (1/21), Richard Janek (12/8), Cheryl Kotara (12/3), Denise Knight (12/3), Juanita Flores (7/4), Brad Rihn (5/28), 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 Moczygamba (1/23), Joe B. Wiatrek (12/5), Joseph Henke (11/16), 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. **Noah Wiatrek, 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

Rosalie Kasper, Paul Hosek, Marie Hosek, Gladys Maha, Proxie Jarzombek.

Prairie Meadows: Mary Ann Coldewey, Rose Kotara, Delia Servin, Alois Zaiontz.

Assisted Living: Ruth Poth, Rose Labus

John Paul – Lucy Felux

Seton Home Donations
October 2021

Teen and child coats and jackets.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Priesthood Sunday
Monday: St. Vincent de Paul
Tuesday: St. Lawrence Ruiz and Companions;
St. Wenceslaus
Wednesday: Ss. Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael
Thursday: St. Jerome
Friday: St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus; First Friday
Saturday: The Holy Guardian Angels; First Saturday

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Zec 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Lk 9:46-50
Tuesday: Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-7; Lk 9:51-56
Wednesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51
Thursday: Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8-11; Lk 10:1-12
Friday: Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-5, 8-9; Lk 10:13-16
Saturday: Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-37; Mt 18:1-5, 10
Sunday: Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 [2-12]

Faith Formation Teaching Opportunities.

The following is the position we currently need filled for the 2021-2022 School Year.

5:30 - 6:30

4th grade - 1 assistant

If interested in shaping the spiritual minds of our youth please call

Becky Raabe at

830-391-1015 or 830-484-3303.

St. Ann Catholic Church
La Vernia TX

Annual Fall Festival is on Sunday, October 3rd, at the La Vernia Chamber of Commerce Hall. Turkey & Dressing with all of the trimmings for \$12 a plate. Serving begins at 10:30am.

ACT'S Annual Raffle
And Taco Sale
October 10, 2021

Tickets for the raffle will be sold before and after each weekend Mass. Tickets for the raffle are \$25 each. Taco's will be sold the morning of the Raffle (10/10).

THE PRESENCE OF GOD

In all our thoughts and actions we ought to remember the presence of God, and account all lost in which we think not of God.

—St. Bernard of Clairvaux

Interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Community here at

Blessed Sacrament? RCIA classes will begin on Sunday, October 3rd at 8:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall. Rooted from the very beginning of Church tradition, the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)** is the path for welcoming new inquirers who seek to fully realize their faith journey in the Catholic Church by Baptism, Reconciliation, Holy Communion or Confirmation.

RCIA is for 1) anyone who has never been baptized or affiliated with any church and has a desire to be a member of a church community, 2) anyone baptized in another denomination but is interested in learning about the Catholic faith, 3) any non-active Catholic who has been away from the Church and would like to get reacquainted, and 4) any adult Catholic who would like to learn more about the Church and mature in their faith. Classes are free and materials are provided. Contact Gerri Garza by text at 830-200-9854 or email at gerrigarza@gmail.com

"And all day long, both at the temple and in their homes, they did not stop teaching and proclaiming the Messiah, Jesus." Acts 5:42

PROCLAIM THE WONDER OF GOD

The gift of the Spirit is given freely, not according to human expectations, but according to the generosity of God. Joshua wants Moses to stop Eldad and Medad from prophesying in the camp, when they were not with the others as the spirit was bestowed on them. Moses, so close to God's mind in the matter, wishes everyone could possess the spirit of God and proclaim it to the nations. Psalm 19 celebrates the perfection of God's law, and how it brings joy and delight. It is better than the finest gold or the sweetest honey. Moreover, God gives the wisdom of the prophets to everyone, especially the simple and lowly ones, even to children. It is the "little ones" who proclaim the wonder of God to all.

Children's Mass

Our first Children's Mass for this school year is on Sunday, October 10th at 9:30am. All Youth are encouraged to attend.

FEAST OF FAITH
The Lord's Prayer

The Eucharistic Prayer ends with the great "Amen," the acclamation of assent by the assembly. Then the Communion rite begins with the Lord's Prayer. We pray this prayer in many contexts, both inside and outside the Church's liturgy. Here, in the context of the Mass, the Lord's Prayer is profoundly eucharistic. When we ask for our "daily bread," we are asking for the gift of the Eucharist. When we ask God to forgive us as we forgive others, we are seeking forgiveness and purity of heart before we approach the altar to receive the sacrament of the Lord's Body and Blood—

"so that what is holy may, in fact, be given to those who are holy" (General Instruction of the Roman Missal, 81). At Mass, a prayer for peace is inserted between the prayer and the doxology. In this prayer, called the embolism, the Church asks God for freedom—freedom from sin and all anxiety and distress. We are living in an in-between time; even as we rejoice in Christ's presence, we await his coming in joyful hope.

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Don't Be Shy

Our Blessed Sacrament Choir will begin choir practice this Sunday, September 26th immediately following the 9:30am Mass. They welcome anyone and everyone who desires to sing to our Lord. They hope to be able to hold practices on every 1st, 2nd and 4th Sunday of the Month. So come and join us.



The ArchAngels

Feast Day is Wednesday, September 29th.

Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael Heavenly King, You have given us archangels to assist us during our pilgrimage on earth. **Saint Michael is our protector;** I ask him to come to my aid, fight for all my loved ones, and protect us from danger. **Saint Gabriel is a messenger of the Good News;** I ask him to help me clearly hear Your voice and to teach me the truth. **Saint Raphael is the healing angel;** I ask him to take my need for healing and that of everyone I know, lift it up to Your throne of grace and deliver back to us the gift of recovery. Help us, O Lord, to realize more fully the reality of the archangels and their desire to serve us. Holy angels, pray for us. Amen.



"How consoling it is to know that we have a spirit who, from the womb to the tomb, never leaves us even for an instant, not even when we dare to sin.

And this heavenly spirit guides and protects us like a friend, a brother."

—St. Padre Pio

The Holy Guardian Angels

Feast Day is Saturday, October 2nd.

Angel of God
 My Guardian Dear
 To Whom God's Love
 Commits me here.
 Ever this Day
 Be At My Side
 To Light and Guard
 To Rule and Guide
 Amen.

After being married for 50 years, I took a careful look at my wife one day and said, "Fifty years ago we had a cheap house, a junk car, slept on a sofa bed and watched a 10-inch black and white TV, but I got to sleep every night with a hot 23-year-old girl." "Now ... We have an \$800,000 home, a \$65,000 car, a nice big bed and a large-screen TV, but I'm sleeping with a 73-year-old woman. It seems to me that you're not holding up your side of the bargain." My wife is a very reasonable woman. She told me to go out and find a hot 23-year-old girl and she would make sure that I would once again be living in a cheap house, driving a junk car, sleeping on a sofa bed and watching a 10-inch black and white TV. Aren't older women great? They really know how to solve an old guy's problems.

They drove us mad with Corona...

We have become crazy.

I went to the bathroom at a restaurant. I washed my hands, opened the door with my elbow, I raised the toilet seat with my foot, I switched on the water faucet with a tissue then opened the bathroom door to leave with my elbow and when i returned to my table I realized.... I forgot to pull up my pants!!!

7:03 PM



First Friday Adoration is on Friday, 10/1. It will begin after the 7:00am Holy Mass and conclude at 1:30pm. A sign-up sheet can be found on the bulletin board at the entrance of the church.

Father Returns to Us

Father Damian is scheduled to return this Tuesday, September 28th. We hope he had a restful vacation and is ready to Shepherd us once again. We've definitely missed him but we sure did appreciate all of the Priests that traveled and took time to help us celebrate Mass. We've seen a few different faces this month. So please pray for Father's safe return. We ask this in the Name of Our Lord Jesus Christ. AMEN!!!

Fall Floral Arrangements for Sale Every Saturday in October from 1:00pm until dark at the Kosciusko Cemetery. Prices are reasonable. Rose Niemietz