NOVEMBER 1, 2026 (Cycle 11- Year A)

Let us rejoice in all the men and women, blest in the eyes of the Lord, who celebrate the heavenly liturgy. They stand in God's holy place and sing of the love the Father has bestowed upon them through the blood of the lamb.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31
6:00 P.M. Joe, Emily & Margo Felux & Grace Dugi & Alton Camber *by Lorene Camber*
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1 - ALL SAINTS
10:00 A.M. Diane Moy *by Family*
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2 - THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED
9:00 A.M. For All The Souls requested from All Souls Envelopes
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3
NO MASS
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4 - ST. CHARLES BORROMEO
9:00 A.M. 1) Living & Deceased family members of Gawlik & Tiemann *by M/M Wayne Tiemann*
2) Theresa Mzyk *by Family*
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5
7:30 A.M. Florence Jaskinia *by M/M Wayne Tiemann*
FIRST FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6
6:30 P.M. 1) Henry & Jo Ann Broll *by M/M Leroy Camber*
2) Deceased Family of Sylvester Wiatrek & Emil Richter *by M/M Adrian Wiatrek*
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7
3:00 P.M. Nuptial Mass: Hunter Ryan & Zoie Lyssy
6:00P.M. NO MASS
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8 - THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
10:00 A.M. Henry & Gladys Jendrusch *by Family*
4:00 P.M. (AT CEMETERY) For All The Souls requested from All Souls Envelopes

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SERVING the LORD

Extraordinary Ministers: SAT. **NO MASS** SUN. Jessica Luna
Lectors: SAT. **NO MASS** SUN. William Pruski
Ushers: SAT. **NO MASS** SUN. Wayne Tiemann & Gerry Waclawczyk
Offertory: SUN. Keith Albers Family
Altar Servers: SUN. Elizabeth, John, Taos & Hannah

PLEASE PRAY FOR -- Lord in your loving Mercy please send the Holy Spirit with the Gift of healing upon these servants who are in need of strength: *Camari Osuna, Jeffrey Wiatrek, Edwin Urbanczyk, Bobby Wiatrek, Brenda Wiatrek, Andrew Franckowiak, Debbie Tiemann, Lambert Titzman, Robert Mutz, Leona Wiatrek, Joyce Moy Wiatrek, Jeri Baugh, Peter Scheffler, Russell Bluhm, Karl Mutz, James Mzyk, Annette Pruski, Elaine Felux, Cody Franckowiak, Col. Kenneth Wiatrek, Patrick Wiatrek & Gladys Waclawczyk.*

FOR THE SAFETY OF MILITARY PERSONNEL: Thank you for the selfless sacrifice of these men and women and their families: *Tommy Waclawczyk, Kevin McGill, Raymond Morin &Cody Swierc.*

VOCATION MINISTRY: ***National Vocation Awareness Week starts November 2nd***
"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." (Matthew 5:3)
The saints show us that true joy and freedom come from placing God above all else. Their lives remind us that holiness often begins in simplicity and humility, responding generously to God's call. During National Vocations Awareness Week, let us pray for more men and women to courageously follow Him, discerning a life as a priest, religious brother or sister, or through holy matrimony. Could God be inviting you to join in this holy witness? Talk to your priest

CALLED BY NAME: *Do you know a young man or woman who may have a vocation to the priesthood or religious* life?
From October 10 through November 8, participate in Called by Name by encouraging them to explore God's call and connecting them with the Vocation Office. Think of a young adult who may have the qualities to serve as a priest or religious sister and encourage them to consider God's call. A simple conversation can help foster a culture of vocations and open the door to discernment. To learn more visit SAVOCATION.ORG
"I HAVE CALLED YOU BY NAME; YOU ARE MINE." ISAIAH 43:1

CCD NEWS : November 4th at 6PM at our cemetery we are having an all Souls Prayer Service and will be lead by our CCD students.

ALTAR SOCIETY will meet on **Monday, November 9th** at 6pm in our Ed Center.

ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE : ALL SOULS ENVELOPES: Envelopes can be found in all bulletin holders. Please return the envelop to Father before November 4th . Or put it in the collection basket TODAY November 1st .
Masses will be offered for all souls requested through ALL SOULS DAY ENVELOPES ON Monday, November 2nd at 9AM in church. **Cemetery Mass will be Sunday, November 8th at 4pm.**
We will have Mass at the cemetery if weather permitting, if not then in church.
This month, we celebrate ALL SAINTS' DAY and commemorate our faithful departed. Death is a reality, but it is not to be feared by those who believe in Jesus. The loved ones who have

gone before us are still with us. We must pass on our faith in the resurrection!
We gather to commemorate and honor all those faithful souls who lived before us and now have eternal life in heaven. The Saints in heaven set an example for us of how we are to live. Now they can intercede on our behalf. May the merits of their prayers, and our following of their example, bring us to share perfect joy with them in heaven.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: November 2nd - Edwin Urbanczyk; November 4th - Lynda Jaskinia; November 5th - Deacon Brysch; November 6th William Smith.

WHEN I WAS A CHILD, THE saints always seemed to be a bit up on a pedestal. They were examples of what we should be like and how we should hope to live. It wasn't until later in life that I began to dig a bit deeper and had teachers in my life who shared saints in a more accessible way, who made them seem a bit more real. Their challenges felt tangible, even if their lives still seemed a bit more like a movie film than mine ever would.
The Beatitudes reading today offers both the familiar and the aspirational. I have known moments of many of these–of mourning and meekness, of peacemaking and persecution. Most of us have known moments of these. While I wouldn't seek to be one who mourns, I know I have and that I will again. I know that I can seek more to be a true peacemaker and to be clean of heart. I could tend more to the hunger and thirst for righteousness that grows and recedes within me. We may not always be sure of the kind of saint God is calling us to be in our own lives, but we can draw our attention to the mourning and persecuted among us and to what feeds our desire for righteousness.
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OUTSIDE EVENTS : ✓CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION: Mass & Pastoral Vision Proclamation **Saturday, November 7th , 2026**; Mass @ 4 PM (Doors open at 3 PM) at Nelson W. Wolff Stadium in San Antonio. Still not too late!!! Visit https://archsa.regfox.com/assembly2026 to get more information and reserve your seats. **As a result of this, there will be no Saturday evening mass in all the parishes within the Archdiocese of San Antonio on the 7th of November.**

✓CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICAS ST. GENEVIEVE COURT # 917 will be having a Pork Steak dinner, green beans, potatoes and a roll for $15.00.& Bake Sale. **Sunday, November 8th** . Plates are "To Go" serving at the Falls City Diner from 10:00 am-11:30 am. Any questions please call Renee Lyssy @ 210-414-0902, Karissa Jarzombek @ 830-534-8200 or Cheryl Stone at the Falls City Mill @ 830-254-3332.

CHURCH COLLECTIONS: October 24th & 25th - $10,896.00
Counters: Annie Childress & Geri Wiatrek & Mary Ann Brysch

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PARISH SECRETARY OFFICE HOURS
Mondays - 10:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.
Wednesdays - 2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.
Fridays - 2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

WEEKEND MASSES
Saturdays - 6:00 P.M. / Sundays - 10:00 A.M.

WEEKDAY MASSES
As scheduled

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Upon request

RECITATION OF THE HOLY ROSARY
Before Mass

HOLY MASS & BENEDICTION
Prayers/Litany for Vocations
Wednesdays after the
9:00 A.M. Mass

DEVOTION TO OUR LADY OF CZESTOCHOWA
Tuesdays - after Mass.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ANOINTING
Please call the priest when sick or in the hospital.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
Call Rectory at least two weeks before.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY
Call Rectory at least six months in advance.

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS
Fridays - before Mass

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Wednesdays - 6:00 PM

WELCOME
Nativity of BVM Family extends a heartfelt welcome to our visitors & guests and invite you to return

All Saints Day