

St. Joseph Catholic Church (Port Aransas, Texas)

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 14, 2026

Mass Intentions

Sat.	6/13	5:00 p.m.	For: The Parishioners of St. Joseph
Sun.	6/14	9:00 a.m.	† Frances Guzman By: Rosie & Elvia † Edgar A. Williamson By: Jody & Shawna Williamson † Tom & Ann Kinsella By: The Kinsella Family
		11:00 a.m.	For: Jason Zatorsky (blessings) By: Rita Schaffer † Frank & Norma Borroni By: Lori Borroni-Engle † Stanford Shaw III By: The Sprunk Family
Mon.	6/15	8:30 a.m.	† Pat Frasco By: The Frasco Family
Tues.	6/16	NO MASS	
Wed.	6/17	8:30 a.m.	† Julian Moczygemba † Olivia Grace Zidek By: Carol A. Zidek
Thurs.	6/18	8:30 a.m.	† Charles Comiso By: Bob & Sandie Little
Fri.	6/19	8:30 a.m.	† Betty Vacek By: Theresa & James Vinton
Sat.	6/20	5:00 p.m.	Father's Day Novena
Sun.	6/21	9:00 a.m.	† Edgar A. Williamson By: Jody & Shawna Williamson † Tom & Ann Kinsella By: The Kinsella Family For: The Machado Family (blessings) By: The Machado Family
		11:00 a.m.	Father's Day Novena

LECTOR/EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER SCHEDULE

Sat.	6/13	5 pm	Julie Winkelmann/Julie Winkelmann, Nick Winkelmann, _____
Sun.	6/14	9 am	Laura Peterek/Stacey Mendoza, Javier Mendoza, Marvin Murray
		11 am	Carly Carlough/Mary Jo Matthews, Sabrina Jones, Barbara Smith
Sat.	6/20	5 pm	Julie Winkelmann/Julie Winkelmann, Nick Winkelmann, _____
Sun.	6/21	9 am	Marvin Murray/Laura Peterek, Stacey Mendoza, Javier Mendoza
		11 am	Leticia Grounds/Barbara Smith, Sabrina Jones, Ken Chesshir

Did you know about the Saints: On June 15th, we celebrate the Feast of **Saint Marguerite d'Youville** (1701-1771). Marguerite was born in Varennes, Canada and married at the age of 20. As her husband died early in their married life, Marguerite worked hard to raise her children and support the family. During these difficult circumstances, Marguerite exemplified charity while always being available to help the poor. Marguerite and others felt called to assist a Quebec hospital which was not functioning effectively. They soon organized and formed a new order called the Sisters of Charity of Montreal. As the sisters of this new order wore grey habits, it was often said to "Go to the Grey Nuns, they never refuse to serve." Soon the hospital in Quebec became known as the "hotel Dieu" or House of God and set a standard for medical care and Christian compassion. Pope Saint John XXIII referred to Marguerite as the "Mother of Universal Charity." She was canonized in 1990. Saint Marguerite d'Youville, pray for us!

Please Pray For the Sick: Dalinda Olivares, Nancy Francisco, Ani Enriquez, Olivia Adams, Joan Finn, Joshua Gueldner, Joan Dieker, Kathy Lord, Karen Decker Creighton, Matthew and Carrie Hogan, Christina Watson, Olga Castillo Hernandez, Cande Alderette, Julianna Cook, Kayla Sheffield, Dawson John Morris, Jim Shoemaker, Melissa Updahl, Sandy Davies, Robin Barlebo, Mike Houser, Sean Jackson, and all who are in need of prayer.

Please Pray For the Deceased:
 If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, please call: (361)749-5825.

Pope Leo XIV said: Every human being is worthy by the mere fact of having been willed, created, and loved by God. There is no situation that causes the Lord to turn His gaze away from us. It is a consoling truth that accompanies us at all times and reminds us that His merciful love always outweighs whatever good or evil we may have done.

Pastor's Note: God who dares to care....
 We are back to the Ordinary time of the Year. On this 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time, we reflect on the compassionate love of our God and remind ourselves that we are called to be bearers of this compassionate love. God cared for his people, even in the face of their failures, and he continues to care for us, even when we don't measure up, because true love is about a desire to cultivate what is best in others. This kind of love calls for a commitment that will not be affected by difficulties and challenges, suffering or even death. Nothing can take away God's love for us, because love is expressed in giving without counting the cost. The first reading, taken from the Book of Exodus, reminds the people of Israel how God had been caring for them and how he freed them from slavery in Egypt, whereby carrying them on 'eagle's wings' to the safety of a promised land. He then calls on the people to remain faithful to this God, who cared for them all through their lives. Since God made them his people, the Responsorial Psalm is a reminder that we are the sheep of his flock. It further enumerates the virtues of our God who cares for us with kindness and compassion. In the second reading, St. Paul reminds us that Christ died for us, while we were sinners and through his death we are now reconciled with God and are now a people heading towards life eternal. The Gospel passage, taken from the Gospel of Matthew, shows the compassion of Jesus for the people who came to listen to him. Since the people were like sheep without a shepherd, he decided to care for them and transform their lives. It is with this intention that he called the Apostles and sent them out to people who needed to experience the compassionate love of God. It requires courage to care for someone, even by risking one's life, which is what Jesus was doing. He expected his Apostles to look at and treat the people with the same compassionate love.

The **Quo Vadis Council of the Knights of Columbus** are holding their annual **summer raffle** after the Masses until Labor Day Sunday. There are several prize packages. All proceeds benefit charities, including parish support, scholarships, the Food Pantry, Hope House, disaster relief, local schools, and financial relief to families with emergency needs. Please consider participating in the raffle. A poster board is in the church foyer displaying the different prize packages. Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20.

FATHER'S DAY NOVENA WILL BEGIN JUNE 20

Father's Day spiritual bouquet envelopes are located in the church foyer. Please return in the collection basket or to the church office by **Tuesday, June 16.**

Heart of Jesus, aflame with love for us: Lord, I come to Your tender Heart today, to You who have words that set my heart ablaze, to You who pour out compassion on the little ones and the poor, on those who suffer, and on all human miseries. I desire to know You more, to contemplate You in the Gospel, to be with You and learn from You and from the charity with which You allowed Yourself to be touched by all forms of poverty. You showed us the Father's love by loving us without measure with Your divine and human Heart. Grant all Your children the grace of encountering You. Change, shape, and transform our plans, so that we seek only You in every circumstance: in prayer, in work, in encounters, and in our daily routine. From this encounter, send us out on mission, a mission of compassion for the world in which You are the source from which all consolation flows. Amen.

Collection for June 7, 2026

Loose Collection	\$3,139.25
Envelope Collection	\$1,190.00
Repair & Renovation	\$1,130.68
Online Giving	<u>\$ 930.00</u>
Total	\$6,389.93

HAVE A LAUGH: A priest is pulled over after a cop sees him driving erratically. The cops asks, "Sir, have you been drinking?" The priest replied, "Just water, officer." "Then what's that wine bottle over there?" "Praise Jesus, He's done it again!"

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