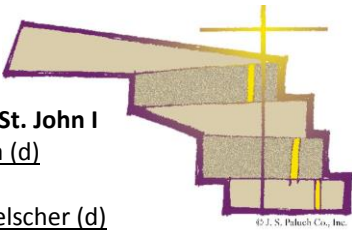


MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

SAT, May 13	Our Lady of Fatima (100 Years)
5:00PM Holy Cross	<u>Michael Respondek, Barbara Respondek Dempsey & Meghan Dempsey (d)</u>
SUN, May 14	Fifth Sunday of Easter; Mother’s Day
8:00 AM San Luis	<u>Jo Ann Jaeger (d)</u>
9:30 AM Holy Cross	<u>Felix & Vera Biemer & deceased family (d)</u>
MON, May 15	Easter Weekday: St. Isidore
NO MASS	
TUE, May 16	Easter Weekday
NO MASS	
WED, May 17	Easter Weekday
8:00 AM Holy Cross	<u>Ida Stelly (d)</u>
THU, May 18	Easter Weekday; St. John I
5:00 PM Holy Cross	<u>Gabriela Pena (d)</u>
FRI, May 19	Easter Weekday
10:00 AM Yktwn Manor	<u>Joseph Hoelscher (d)</u>
SAT, May 20	Easter Weekday; St. Bernardine of Siena
5:00PM Holy Cross	<u>Mary Ann Styra (d)</u>
SUN, May 21	Sixth Sunday of Easter
8:00 AM San Luis	<u>Augustina Villarreal (d)</u>
9:30 AM Holy Cross	<u>Deceased mbrs Holy Cross, San Luis & St. Ann</u>



NEXT WEEK’S ASSIGNMENTS

Saturday, May 20	5:00 PM Holy Cross
Lector:	Angie Stepanski
Minister of Communion:	Alvin Sturm
Altar Servers:	Stephanie Mattox & Jaelyn Soliz
Sunday, May 21	8:00 AM San Luis
Lector:	Estela Sierra
Minister of Communion:	Estella Cantu
Altar Servers:	Toribio & Joshua Lopez
Sunday, May 21	9:30 AM Holy Cross
Lector:	Danette Respondek
Ministers of Communion:	Rene & Sylvia Hernandez & Greg Foegelle
Altar Servers:	Dylan & Tyler Respondek

IF YOU CANNOT SERVE, PLEASE FIND A REPLACEMENT

EDUCATION

Please continue to pray for our Confirmation candidates who are preparing to receive this holy sacrament on May 20TH

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Robin Naranjo

“Create in me a clean heart, O God;
and renew a right spirit within me.”
- Psalm 51:10

FATIMA

100 Years October 13, 1917-2017

Pope Francis has offered the following opportunity for a special plenary indulgence during this anniversary year!

“The faithful, with devotion, can visit a statue of Our Lady of Fatima solemnly exposed for public veneration in any church, oratory, or proper place of prayer during the days of the anniversary of the apparitions, the 13th of each month from May to October 2017, and there devoutly participate in some celebration or prayer in honor of the Virgin Mary. In addition, the faithful must pray the Our Father, recite the Creed and invoke Our Lady of Fatima. They must also offer to merciful God with confidence, through Mary, their prayers and sufferings or the sacrifices they make in their own lives.”

Bishop Cahill with the support of Father Dominic Antwi-Boasiako, has chosen

St. Mary’s Church in Victoria to host a special statue of Our Lady of Fatima

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-Father Roger

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WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

May 7, 2017	Holy Cross	San Luis	St. Ann
Saturday/Sunday	\$ 3,576.64	\$ 557.77	\$ 20.00

PRAYER LIST

Please remember in your prayers the souls of all who passed away last week, **“Eternal rest grant unto them Lord & let perpetual light shine upon them”**
Also pray for physical and spiritual healing of: Braden Brown, Mary Helen and Daniel Villarreal, Robert Zaiontz, Melvin Sinast, Lottie Wojtasczyk, Melvin Gallegos, Maurice & Elaine Shenkir, Mary Helen Miller, Hedwig Jendry, Raul Salinas, Sr., Arturo Salinas, Elena Garcia, Lola Amador, Lambert Styra, Robert Migura, Susan Villarreal, Damian Fanelli, Janie Salinas, Gloria Sanford, E.J. Biemer, Augustin Serrano, Ortencia Serrano, Kathy Banda, Angela Hahn, Irene Boerm, Billy Barrier, David Moczygemba, Michelle Binz Enterline, Linda Torres, Grady Glover, Carolyn Mueller, Debbie Rios, Mary Helen Torres, Gloria Salinas, Lisa Bossee, Myrlin Wagner, Roman Fanelli, Irene Ibrom, Jo Ann Griffin, Hunter Jacob, Lillie Perez, Johnny Ray Garza, Lawrence Waltersdorff, Kathy Howard, Antonio Guerrero, Mary Metting, Martin Guerrero, Jr., Raul D. Tambunga, Robert Jendrzey, Amber Rios, Anthony Rios, Agustina Rosales, Courtney Soliz, Mary M. Gonzales, Jeanne Byerly, Bill Jauer, Charlie Caswell, Cheryl Edmonson, Adalee Lahodny, Patsy Chapoy, Pat Barta, Josie Ortiz Nunez, Adam Nunez, Carol Waggoner, Martin Torres, Fr. John Kollannur, Gilda Guerrero, Jennifer Torres Dinkens & Dustin Dinkens, Gloria Llerch and Angelina Balderas, Vince Rios, Pam Broll and Ysrael Hinojosa.

Reminder: if you have listed someone on the **Prayer List** and they are doing better, please call the office to remove them from this list. **Thank you!**

PRAY WITH THE POPE

That Christians in Africa, in imitation of the Merciful Jesus, may give prophetic witness to reconciliation, justice, and peace.

ACTS RETREATS

Holy Family Teen ACTS
July 6-9 Spiritual Renewal Center – Victoria
Applications at Holy family website or at the Rectory

Cuero Deanery Men’s ACTS Retreat
November 30 – December 3 – El Shaddai - Yorktown
Team sign-up sheet available in the church

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

HOLY CROSS PARISH EVENTS LISTED IN BOLD HIGHLIGHT	
May 16	6:00 PM DeWitt Gabriel Project Meeting, Meyersville
17	Final day for Wednesday CCD Classes
20	5 PM Confirmation at Holy Cross
21	9:30 AM Senior Mass
27	Teacher Appreciation Banquet
June 3	10 AM Guadalupana Rosary and Meeting
12 – 16	Vacation Bible School
13	7:30 PM Knights of Columbus meeting

PARISH NEWS

CHAPLET: *Fridays at 3:00 PM*
ROSARY: *Wednesday at 6:30 with CCD*
First Saturdays 10 AM at San Luis
Saturday before 5:00 Mass &
Sunday before 9:30 Mass

Vacation Bible School
June 12 – 16 2017
Pray -Volunteer – Give

*Check out the **Giving Tree** in the foyer of Holy Cross for items on our wish list!*

Applications available at the rectory or online at holycrossyorktown.net

AROUND THE DIOCESE

DEWITT COUNTY GABRIEL PROJECT

2017 Baby Bottle Fundraiser


Mother’s Day thru Father’s Day!
MAY 14 - JUNE 18

The Gabriel Project offers hope and assistance to any woman experiencing a crisis pregnancy.


NEEDED; Preemie, newborn and size 1 diapers and monetary donation. (due to expiration dates no formula please) Donations may be made by placing you gift in the baby bottles – Please make checks payable to Victoria Gabriel Project (Memo: Dewitt Chapter) If you have any questions please call 564-3742. Thank you for your support.

St. Michael Catholic Church in Cuero, announces its Annual Parish SPRING FESTIVAL on Sunday, May 21, on the parish grounds. A Roast Beef Dinner will be served from 11:00 AM until 1:00 PM.

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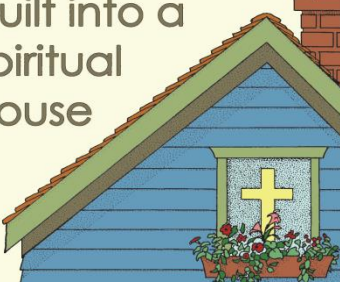
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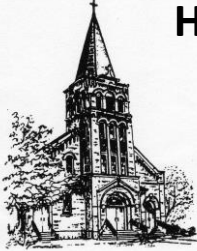


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May 14, 2017: FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



THE WAY

Today we sense the apostles' trepidation as they begin to realize that the Lord would soon be leaving them. In their fear, they ask, "Master, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?" (John 14:5). Jesus tells them that *he* is the way. The Easter season has been a time of growing in Easter faith so that we, too, may learn to know that Jesus is the way. We can take comfort in the Lord's promise that he is going to his Father's house to prepare a place for us, his chosen people who have been called out of darkness into God's wonderful light. As the paschal candle continues to burn during this holy season, let us remember that in baptism we were given the light of Christ. With Christ our light as the beacon lighting our way, let us march toward the glory of Pentecost.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — To meet their growing needs, the community chooses seven reputable men to serve the new Greek believers (Acts 6:1-7).

Psalm — Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you (Psalm 33).

Second Reading — We, like living stones, let ourselves be built into a spiritual house (1 Peter 2:4-9).

Gospel — "Show us the Father," Philip asks Jesus. To which Jesus replies: "Whoever sees me, sees the Father" (John 14:1-12).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21

Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20; 1 Pt 3:15-18 or 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21

OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Friday
8:30AM -12:00PM
1:00PM - 3:30PM

MASS SCHEDULE
Holy Cross
Saturday 5:00PM
Sunday 9:30AM
Tuesday 8:00AM
Wednesday 8:00AM
Thursday 5:00PM
First Fridays 8:00AM

San Luis
Sunday 8:00AM

Yorktown Manor
Friday 10:00AM

RECONCILIATION
Holy Cross
First Fridays 8:30AM
Saturday 4:00PM
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In my Father's house there are many dwelling places

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