THIS WEEK

SAT, January 13 The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jose & Maria Vasquez (d) 5:00PM Holy Cross

The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time SUN, January 14

8:00AM San Luis People of San Luis, Holy Cross & St. Ann

Dorine Leister (d) 9:30AM Holy Cross

MON, January 15 Weekday

No Mass

TUE, January 16 Weekday

No Mass

WED. January 17 St. Anthony

No Mass

THU, January 18 Weekday

No Mass

FRI, January 19 Weekday

8:00AM Chapel

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SAT, January 20

The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00PM Holy Cross Jane Foegelle (d)

SUN, January 21

The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00AM San Luis

9:30AM Holy Cross People of Holy Cross, San Luis & St. Ann

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SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday, Jan. 20 5PM Holy Cross

Erich Weischwill Lector: Sacristans: Greg & Teresa EMHC: **Greg Foegelle** Altar Servers: David

Sunday, Jan. 21 8AM San Luis

Lector: Nina Quintero

Sacristan & EMHC: Evangelina Sanchez

Altar Server: Devin

Sunday, Jan. 21 9:30AM Holy Cross

Darvl Boudreaux Lector: Sacristans: Chad & Christy EMHC: **Betsy Boudreaux** Altar Servers: Katie & Bentlee Homebound: Greg & Teresa

Married couples blessing will be held at Holy Cross on Saturday Feb. 10th.

If you are celebrating your 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, etc. anniversary this year and would like to receive an anniversary certificate, you may sign up on the page at the entrance of the church or call the parish office.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

25: RCIA, Adult Education 6PM in the Activity Center

25: Candlelight March, Victoria 6:30PM

gather at St. Mary's Activity Center, Victoria 7:00pm - March to Our Lady of Sorrows

Presentation by Heather Hobbs at Our Lady of Sorrows

27: Rise Up for Life, pro-life rally Hallettsville

8:15AM - gather at the Hallettsville post office,

206 S. LaGrange St. and

march to the Lavaca County Courthouse Gazebo.

9:00AM - Program begins, bring your lawn chairs.

Texas Rally for Life Austin, Saturday, Jan. 27 from 1 to 4PM at the Capitol.

February

2: First Friday Mass 8:00AM at Holy Cross, Adoration and Reconciliation from 5:30 to 8PM

3: First Saturday Mass 9AM at San Luis, followed by the Rosary and Guadalupana Meeting

4: Jamaica Kick-off meeting after San Luis Mass

4: Catholic Daughters meeting 2PM, Activity Center

5: Gabriel Project Meeting 5PM, Activity Center

5: Knights of Columbus meeting 7PM, Activity Center

8 & 22: RCIA. Adult Education 6PM. Activity Center

10: World Marriage Day Anniversary Blessing at Mass

12: Adoration and Reconciliation after Mass at San Luis

PRAYER LIST

Please remember in your prayers the souls of all who have passed away, "Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord

& let perpetual light shine upon them" Also pray for physical and spiritual healing of: Kacee Flores, Christopher & Kaylnn Mueller, Cindy Pieprzica, Macee Brown, Barbara Kremling, Wade Bolting, Shirley Collins, Regina Riedel, Norma Schendel, Lin Migura, Alvin Sturm, Margaret Wollny, Marvin Tate, William Stehling, Doug Wolf, Amber Rios, Fr. Frank Lenz, Fr. Dominic Boasiako, Loretta Bolting, Larry Kozielski, Lanny Lohmann, Saela Diaz, Myra Yeretsky, Heath Buesing, Patricia Kowalik, Terry Glasscock, Johnny Ortiz, Blaise Hawes, Larry Mueller, Ramona Sample, Levi Sample, Daniel & Mary Helen Villarreal, Mary Helen Torres, Brandon Dlugosch, Morgan Lemke and Shirley Janssen-Miller.

If you have someone on the prayer list, they will stay on the list for **3 months**. Please call the office Tuesday-Thursday, to put them back on the list. Thank you!

Jamaica April 28th

Meetings:

February 4 February 25

March 17: Raffle Prizes turned in

April 7

April 21 May 5

Lenten Schedule for Stations of the Cross & Lenten Service

Stations of the Cross will be observed every Friday during Lent at 6:00 PM. The following groups will provide a Lector, Cross Bearer and two candle bearers: Leaders, please arrive at Church no later than 5:45 PM

Holy Cross

February 16th – Catholic Daughters March 1st – Confirmation Students March 15th – Holy Cross & San Luis Councils

San Luis

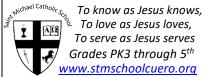
February 23rd – Knights of Columbus March 8th – Guadalupana Society March 22nd – 1st Communion (students

March 29th.... Stations of the Cross 12:00 PM at the City Park, Parishioners (KC's coordinate)

February 23rd ... Fish Fry at Holy Cross

February 28th ... Community Lenten Service at Holy Cross, meal: 6PM service: 7PM (CDA coordinates meal)

March 13th ... Community Lenten Service at San Luis, meal: 6PM service: 7PM (Guadalupanas coordinates meal)



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JANUARY 14, 2024 THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Eucharistic Miracle of Bettbrunn, Germany, 1125

The owner of a small farm was a man who was deeply devoted to the Most Holy Sacrament. This man lived an hour and a half away from the parish church of Tholling and he was not always able to attend Mass. Because of his zeal, he decided to solve the problem of not always being able to make it to church by secretly stealing a sacred Host and bringing it home. The farmer took the stick that he always brought with him and made an opening on the top end into which he placed the Host. Every day, when the livestock were resting, he stuck his stick into the ground and he kneeled before the Most Holy Sacrament for many hours. For several months, the man continued in this manner until one day, without thinking, he impulsively threw the stick with the Sacred Portion at a herd that had straved too far.

The Host fell on the ground and the farmer, deeply saddened, bent down to pick it up. Every attempt to lift it up proved to be to no avail and when he did not know what to do he sent for the parish priest of Tholling. The priest was also not able to pick it up and approached the Bishop Hartwich of Regensburg. Only when he promised to build a chapel in that place did he succeed in picking up the Host from the ground. In 1125, the building of the chapel was completed and the precious relic was kept in this place until 1330 when a fire destroyed everything. The chapel was later reconstructed and in its interior they placed one of the pillars that had been saved from the fire.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: 1 Samuel 3:3-10,19 Speak, Lord, your servant is listening. Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 40:2,4,7-10 Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will. Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 6:13-15,17-20 Do not sin against your own body.

Gospel: John 1:35-42 We have found the Messiah.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23; 50:8-9, 16-17, 21 and 23; Mk 2:18-22 Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13; 89:20, 21-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10; Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; 56:2-3, 9-1-11, 12-13; Mk 3:7-12 Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21; PS 57:2, 3-4, 6 & 11; Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; PS 80:2-3, 5-7; Mk 3:20-21

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM -12:00 PM

1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Holy Cross

5:00 PM Saturday 9:30 AM Sunday Tuesday 8:00 AM Wednesday 8:00 AM 5:30 PM Thursday Friday 8:00 AM

San Luis

Sunday 8:00 AM 5:30 PM Monday Wednesday 5:30 PM First Saturday 9:00 AM

ADORATION & RECONCILIATION

Holy Cross

First Friday 8:30-9:30 AM

San Luis

2nd Monday 6:00-7:00 PM

RECONCILIATION

Holy Cross

Saturday 4:00 PM

San Luis

Monday & Wednesday BEFORE MASS (BY REQUEST) Or by appointment

