



ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH Rhineland

**Fifth Sunday of Lent
April 6, 2025**

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**Weekend Mass
Schedule**

Saint Joseph
Saturday 6:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am
Santa Rosa
Sunday 11:00 am
(Mass is Bilingual)
**BAPTISMAL
Preparation**

Third Sunday of the
Month
Birth Certificate Required
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THANK YOU!

A special thank you to **Robert & Janet Dillard** for hosting the meal for our priests who came for our Lenten Reconciliation service Wednesday evening. We extend a nice meal to show our appreciation. Our parish is blessed with dedicated servants who volunteer their time, talent and treasure. May God bless you!

INFORMATION

Pictures will be taken next weekend, April 12th & 13th, after Mass for the following groups: Lectors, Choirs, Mother's Society, Acolytes, Ushers, Pastoral Council, Cemetery Committee, Finance Council, and Homebound Ministry. Please stay after Mass to have your photo taken for the church directory.

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Lectors: **April 12** Saturday: Robert & Janet Dillard
 April 13 Sunday: Leno & Sylvia Hernandez

Servers: **April 12** Saturday: Haiden Bowman, Moi & Gisel Garcia
 April 13 Sunday Camila Nunez, Hunter & Brooke Urbanczyk

Gifts: **April 12** Saturday: Mark & Darla Coffman
 April 13 Sunday: Mary DeHaro & Neva Gonzales

Ushers for April: Saturday: Jason Bowman & Wayne Pennartz
 Sunday: Kuehler & Gaylon Albus

Collection Counters for April: Kevin & Shelley Myers & Julie Kuhn



Mon:	7:30 am	Novena & Rosary
Wed:	6:00 pm	Faith Formation
Fri:	6:00 pm	Stations of the Cross – Saint Joseph
Fri:	6:00 pm	Stations of the Cross – Santa Rosa
Sat:	5:30 pm	Reconciliation from 5:30/6:00 p.m. on Saturdays
Sat:	6:00 pm	+ Refugio Nunez by Juana Nunez & + James Albus by Tony & Lisa Myers
Sun:	9:00 am	+ Altagracia Diaz by Diaz Family & + Luisa Spann by Guelma Hopkins
Sun:	11:00 am	Mass at Santa Rosa

March 30, 2025 Attendance: **Saturday: 63 Sunday: 128**

Collection: \$2,743.00

Catholic Relief Service: \$698.00

Thank you for your generous support!

St. Joseph Parish is dependent on the generosity of its parishioners for support. Your contributions make all parish activities and services possible.

Please pray for our sick and convalescing especially: Joe Loran. Gene Allen Michels, Garry Brown, Chris Mendoza, Debbie Welborn, Mary Birkenfeld, Osiel Castorena, Nathan Urbanczyk, Neva Gonzales, Kaylan Urbanczyk Carter, Deacon Jim Novak, Vivian Steinbach, Lupe Bejar, Kelly Stinnet, Jeanell Kuehler Howell, Jeanene Redder, Jamie Welborn, Brittany Solano, Paulina Mendiola, Dorothy Herring, Joe Castorena, Diana Homer Essig, Angelica Lucas, LuRose Schumacher, Antonio Mendez, Coltyn Eldridge, and any others. Please remember all rest home and shut-in parishioners. Let us earnestly pray for all our sick and do whatever we can to help them. **Please let us know if names need to be added or removed.**

FOOD PANTRY

St. Joseph Parishioners are asked to bring **instant potatoes** for the **April** Food Pantry. Volunteers are also needed to pack boxes. If you are able to help, please contact Cheryl Urbanczyk at 940-203-1908. Thanks to all of you who continually help feed the hungry in our community.

BINGO

Bingo for the Munday Nursing Home residents will be **Thursday, May 1st @ 3:00 p.m.** The Volunteers for May are Laci Bowman & Jennifer Shahan. Thank you!

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Through service we bring Christ to the poor in spirit, children and those in need. *“If anyone to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all.”* – Mark 9:35

(Have received \$13,861.72 from 23 donors) Goal for our Parish: St. Joseph: \$16,500.00

Thank You for Supporting the Annual Diocesan Appeal.

EASTER EGG HUNT

There is a bucket in the back of church for coins for the Easter Egg Hunt prize eggs. Coins for prizes or filled Easter eggs would be greatly appreciated. The hunt will be immediately after Mass on Sunday, April 20th. Contact Katy Wilde for more information. Happy Hunting!

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers that are willing to plan the 130th anniversary of this parish. The 125th was not able to be celebrated due to Covid. If anyone is interested in serving in this capacity, please contact Mary Denise Groves (940-256-8935) The event is tentatively scheduled to take place Labor Day Weekend.

QUINCEANERA CLASS

Quinceanera classes have to be completed at least a month before the date of celebration. Please contact Father Bose for availability. We have a class down for Sunday, February 16th 1:00 -5:00 p.m. and Sunday, June 8th from 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. (time varies depending on size of class.) Please contact Sylvia Hernandez 940-782-7962 for English and Felipa Marmolejo 940-203-1038, if you have questions in Spanish. Thank you.

EASTER LILIES

Please consider helping to adorn our Altar for Easter Sunday with Easter lilies in honor/memory of your loved ones living or deceased. If you like to donate an Easter lily, please contact Buds For You, at 940-422-4712. Thank you!

RICE BOWL COLLECTION

NUTRITIOUS MEALS HELP CHILDREN GROW HEALTHY IN GUATEMALA - In Santa María Chiquimula, Guatemala, over half the community is affected by malnutrition. Amid rising food prices and job loss, Ana Belén and her husband were struggling to provide for their growing family. But they saw a ray of hope through their participation in a Catholic Relief Services' program that helps them ensure their children are healthy and have the nutrition they need to thrive and play. Visit <https://www.crsricebowl.org/stories-of-hope/week-3> to read this week's Story of Hope. **We will be taking up this collection on Holy Thursday, April 17th.**

IMPORTANT DAYS DURING LENT

Ash Wednesday: Marks the start of Lent and the time for penance. Obligatory day of fasting (ages 18 to 59) and abstinence (ages 14 & over).

Fridays of Lent: Obligatory abstinence (ages 14 & over). All Fridays (even outside of Lent) are days of penance.

Holy Thursday: Lent ends and the Holy Triduum begins in the evening with the commemoration of the Institution of the Eucharist at the Last Supper.

Good Friday: The anniversary of the Crucifixion of Christ (no Mass). Obligatory day of fasting (ages 18 to 59) and abstinence (ages 14 & over).

Holy Saturday: Christ is in the grave conquering death and freeing the captives. Final day of Lenten fasting (no daily Mass, Easter Vigil begins at sundown).

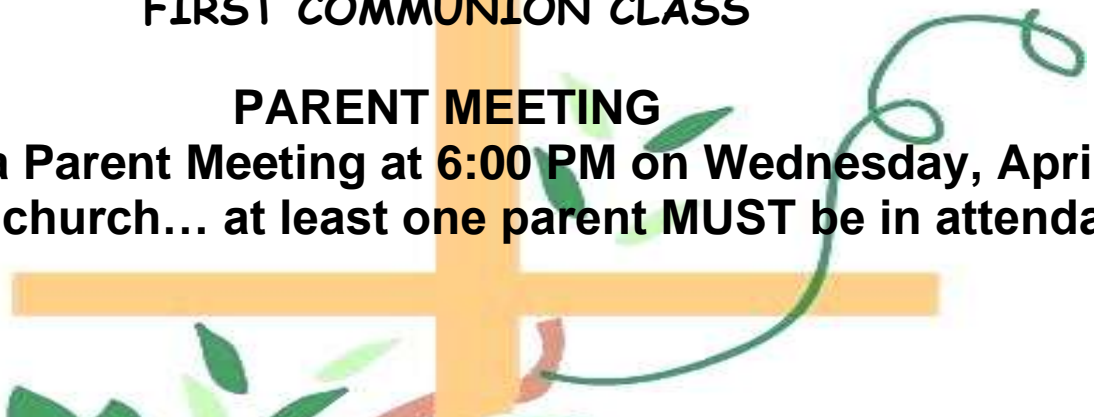
Sacred Triduum: The period of 3 days (Holy Thursday + Good Friday + Holy Saturday) during which we remember Christ's Passion, ending at the Easter Vigil (Saturday evening).

Easter Sunday: Lent has ended and the joy begins, the day of Christ's resurrection, the principle Christian feast of the entire liturgical year. This is the celebration of Christ's victory over sin and death merited for us by his passion, death, and resurrection from the dead on Easter Sunday.

UPCOMING EVENTS for FIRST COMMUNION CLASS

PARENT MEETING

There will be a Parent Meeting at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, April 9th in the back of church... at least one parent MUST be in attendance.



We will discuss the upcoming retreat, First Communion, and future class lessons.

First Communion Retreat

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: The First Communion Retreat will be on Saturday, April 12th from 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM. There will be a parent meeting at 5:30 PM on this day as well. At least one parent **MUST** be in attendance.

First Communion Practice

On Wednesday, April 16th the candidates for First Communion will have a practice starting sharply at 4:30 PM. Please make sure your child is present and on time!

First Communion Candidates 2nd Reconciliation

Candidates for First Communion will receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the 2nd time on Saturday, April 26th. Times are available from 4:30-6:00 PM and 7:00-8:00 PM. Please contact Rian Potysman for an exact time ASAP.

FIRST COMMUNION SUNDAY

First Communion will be celebrated on Sunday, April 27th at 9:00 AM. ALL candidates must be here by 8:00 AM on April 27th for pictures and a practice, Thank you!

St. Joseph's Catholic Church/Rhineland and Santa Rosa/Knox City

St. Joseph & Santa Rosa will experience the loving intimacy of **Holy Thursday**, the stark sorrow, failure, and loss of **Good Friday**, the rich mystery of the **Easter Vigil**, and the exultant joy of **Easter**.

This is our Holy Week Schedule:

April 17 Holy Thursday
6:00 PM Mass at St. Joseph
THE EVENING MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

(The washing of the feet, the presentation of Holy Oils, the procession of The Blessed Sacrament to the special altar and keeping vigil in the Church until Midnight)

7:30 PM-Mass at Santa Rosa/ Knox City

April 18

Good Friday

5:30 PM Stations of the Cross

6:00 PM The Celebration of the Lord's Passion

(Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the Cross, and Holy Communion)

No Service at Santa Rosa

April 19

Holy Saturday

8:00 PM **Easter Vigil at St. Joseph**

(Blessing of the Fire, Procession with the Paschal Candle, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of Baptism, Renewal of the Baptismal vows, Confirmation and Liturgy of the Eucharist.)

April 20

Easter Sunday

9:00 AM **Mass** (Celebration of the Resurrection of the Lord)

11:00 AM **Mass** at Santa Rosa/Knox City

HAPPY EASTER – CHRIST IS RISEN – ALLELUIA

VBS 2025 Date Set

Vacation Bible School will be on June 9th, 10th, and 11th here at St. Joseph's. **Children ages 4 through this year's 5th grade are invited to attend.** Classes will be held from 9:00-11:30 AM each day with the closing event on Wednesday evening.

Adult and teen helpers are needed. Please contact Janet Dillard if you would like to teach or be a helper. Thank you!



ANNUAL YOUTH GARAGE SALE

The Youth will hold their annual GARAGE SALE at the end of May in the Rhineland Gym. If you have any items you would like to donate, please contact Janet Dillard or any secondary youth member. Thank you!

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INFORMACIÓN

Para arreglos funerarios, matrimonios, bautismos, etc., comuníquese con el **Padre Bose** en Seymour al **940-655-8037**.
(940) 422-4994
(Rectory Rhineland)
Convent: 422-4270

Secretary/Bookkeeper
Noelia Davila
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Marriage: 8 months
before date of wedding
Rectory: 422-4994

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DESDE EL ESCRITORIO DEL PADRE BOSE

LA MISERICORDIA DE DIOS TRAE NUEVOS COMIENZOS: La Cuaresma es un tiempo para reflexionar sobre la misericordia de Dios y buscar la renovación en nuestras vidas. En este quinto domingo de Cuaresma, en el Evangelio, Jesús muestra compasión por la mujer sorprendida en adulterio. En lugar de condenarla, la perdona y le ofrece un nuevo comienzo. De igual manera, Isaías nos recuerda que Dios está "haciendo algo nuevo", guiando a su pueblo del pecado y la desesperación hacia la libertad. San Pablo, en su carta a los Filipenses, habla de olvidar lo que queda atrás y esforzarse por alcanzar la meta de conocer a Cristo. Estos pasajes nos invitan a dejar atrás nuestros pecados pasados y abrazar la nueva vida que Dios ofrece. Cuando caemos en el pecado, la vergüenza y la culpa pueden frenarnos. Pero la misericordia de Dios es más grande que nuestros errores. Al igual que la mujer del Evangelio, no nos definen nuestros pecados, sino el amor y el perdón de Cristo. La Cuaresma nos llama a alejarnos del pecado, soltar lo que nos agobia y permitir que Dios nos transforme. Su misericordia nos da la fuerza para empezar de nuevo, sin importar cuánto nos hayamos desviado. Confiando en su perdón, podemos seguir adelante, esforzándonos por vivir una vida que le agrade. **Oración y práctica:** *Querido Señor Misericordioso, tú eres quien abre camino en el desierto y ríos en la tierra árida. Enséñanos a perdonarnos a nosotros mismos y a los demás como tú nos perdonas. En esta Cuaresma, que abracemos los nuevos comienzos que nos ofreces y vivamos cada día con un corazón renovado por tu gracia.* **Padre Bose**

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LLAMADO ANUAL DIOCESANO – 2024/2025:

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STATIONS OF THE CROSS: ALL FRIDAY'S IN LENT

6:00 PM at St. Joseph and 6:00 PM at Santa Rosa

VÍA CRUCIS: TODOS LOS VIERNES DE CUARESMA

6:00 PM en San José y 6:00 PM en Santa Rosa

DOORS WILL NOW BE LOCKED AT THE BEGGINIG OF MASS EVEY SUNDAY FOR SECUTITY PURPOSES.

****LAS PUERTAS SE CERRARAN CON LLAVE AL INICIO DE LAS MISAS TODOS LOS DOMINGOS POR QUESTION DE SEGURIDAD****

MASS INTENTIONS

APRIL 6TH – Ximena Samano by Brenda Acosta.

APRIL 13TH – Santos y Maria Felicisima Gonzales by Maria Gonzales.

COLLECTION MARCH 30

\$284.00

ATTENDANCE

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SIGAMOS ORANDO POR LOS ENFERMOS DE NUESTRA PARROQUIA, FAMILIARES Y AMIGOS.

Oremos por nuestros hermanos en casas de asilo y reclusos. Oremos fervientemente por todos nuestros enfermos para su sanación y recuperación.

Dios te salve, Reina y Madre de misericordia; vida, dulzura y esperanza nuestra. A ti llamamos los desterrados hijos de Eva; a ti suspiramos, gimiendo y llorando en este valle de lágrimas. Ea, pues, Señora Abogada nuestra, vuelve a nosotros esos tus ojos misericordiosos, y después de este destierro, muéstranos a Jesús, fruto de tu vientre ¡oh clemente, oh piadosa, oh dulce Virgen María! Amén.

Oremos por todos nuestros enfermos y hagamos todo lo que podamos para ayudarlos. **Háganos saber si es necesario agregar o eliminar nombres.**

LET US KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS THE SICK OF OUR PARISH, OUR FAMILY MEMBERS, AND OUR FRIENDS.

Please remember all rest home and shut-in parishioners. *Let us earnestly pray for all our sick for their healing and recovery.*

Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy, hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve: to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus, O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary! Amen.

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Osiel Castorena, Sandy Espinosa, Salvador Silva Sr, Faby Vasquez, Juan Carlos Villegas, Maria Estrada, Joe Sloan, Vicente Hernandez, Maria de Jesus Gonzales, Ronnie Verhalen, Imelda Perez, Mary Escamilla, Ray Lerma, Lalo Garcia, Gloria Diaz, Connie Garcia, Federico Monita, Margaret Martinez, Bob Lake, Connie Ramirez, Victoria Medina, Connie Ledesma, Paulina Mendiola and any others.

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QUINTO DOMINGO DE CUARESMA: JUAN 8:1-11

Jesús se dirigió al Monte de los Olivos. Pero muy de mañana llegó de nuevo al templo, y todo el pueblo acudía a él. Él se sentó y les enseñaba. Entonces los escribas y los fariseos le trajeron a una mujer sorprendida en adulterio y la pusieron en medio. Le dijeron: «Maestro, esta mujer fue sorprendida en el acto mismo de cometer adulterio. En la ley, Moisés nos mandó apedrear a estas mujeres. ¿Qué dices, pues?». Dijeron esto para ponerlo a prueba, para tener de qué acusarlo. Jesús se inclinó y comenzó a escribir en el suelo con el dedo. Pero como insistían en preguntarle, se incorporó y les dijo: «El que esté sin pecado, que tire la primera piedra». De nuevo se inclinó y escribió en el suelo. Y respondiendo, se fueron uno a uno, comenzando por los ancianos. Así que se quedó solo con la mujer que estaba delante de él. Entonces Jesús se enderezó y le dijo: «Mujer, ¿dónde están? ¿Nadie te ha condenado?». Ella respondió: «Nadie, señor». Entonces Jesús dijo: «Yo tampoco te condeno. Vete, y de ahora en adelante no piques más».

ADULTOS: ¿Alguna vez has estado demasiado dispuesto a «tirar la primera piedra» cuando desaprobaste el comportamiento de alguien? ¿Cómo puedes resistir estos sentimientos?

NIÑOS: ¿Cuándo has criticado o te has burlado de alguien? ¿Qué podría ayudarte a actuar de manera diferente?

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SE NECESITA AYUDA EN RHINELAND

La Iglesia Católica de San José busca una o más personas para la limpieza semanal de los edificios de la iglesia. El salario es de \$15.00 por hora. Este puesto es de medio tiempo (entre 12 y 15 horas semanales). Para más información, comuníquese con Mary Denise Groves al 940-256-8935.

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(COLECTA PUNTIFICIA DEL VIERNES SANTO (TIERRA SANTA) – 18 DE ABRIL:

La Colecta Pontificia del Viernes Santo se destina a los siguientes programas:

- **Fe, Memoria y Cultura – Los Santos Lugares**

Los franciscanos y su personal de Tierra Santa mantienen los santos lugares y santuarios, permitiendo a quienes viven y visitan Tierra Santa profundizar su fe y su conexión espiritual y cultural con la historia de la salvación.

- **Actividades sociales y caritativas**

Para ayudar a los cristianos a permanecer en Tierra Santa, incluyendo a los pobres y a las parejas jóvenes, la Custodia construye miles de unidades residenciales. Además, construye centros de atención para personas mayores. Se brinda asistencia médica a los necesitados.

- **Actividades educativas y científicas**

Los franciscanos gestionan y apoyan escuelas abiertas a todos, independientemente de su religión o nacionalidad. Ofrecen becas a jóvenes para que respondan a la llamada a convertirse en sacerdotes y hermanos franciscanos. Asimismo, los arqueólogos franciscanos realizan investigaciones continuas en los Santos Lugares.

- **Actividades Pastorales**

Los franciscanos brindan atención pastoral en 29 parroquias de Tierra Santa, ofreciendo culto, formación cristiana y programas esenciales para jóvenes y familias, especialmente en regiones afectadas por la guerra.

- **Programas Litúrgicos, Ecuménicos y de Comunicación**

El Centro Cristiano de Medios narra la historia de Tierra Santa a través de material multimedia distribuido por todo el mundo en más de siete idiomas. Los frailes organizan celebraciones litúrgicas para cristianos locales y peregrinos, y comparten con otras comunidades cristianas de Tierra Santa una cooperación ecuménica continua.

Además de la colecta durante los servicios del Viernes Santo, el 18 de abril, también se pueden hacer donaciones en línea en <https://bit.ly/DioceseSpecialCollections>.

NEXT FUNDRAISER IS SCHEDULED FOR MAY 4TH WITH A CINCO DE MAYO THEME.

GAMES/EVENTS: VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT, BINGO GAMES, FACE PAINT FOR KIDS, CAKE WALK, FISHING GAME AND CONCESSION STAND.

TO DONATE CAKES CONTACT ROSIE GONZALES

TO DONATE TOYS OR PRIZES FOR BINGO CONTACT MARY ESCAMILLA

TO DONATE MONEY FOR THE CONCESSION STAND CONTACT ANITA SILVA

LA PROXIMA JAMAICA SERA EL DIA 4 DE MAYO CON TEMATICA DEL CINCO DE MAYO.

JUEGOS/EVENTOS: TORNEOS DE VOLLEYBALL, JUEGOS DE BINGO, PUESTOS DE PINTURA FACIAL PARA NINOS, JUEGO DE LAS SILLAS Y COMO PREMIO PASTELES, JUEGO DE PESCA Y PUESTO DE COMIDA.

PARA DONAR PASTELES CONTACTAR A ROSIE GONZALES.

PARA DONAR JUGUETES Y PREMIOS PARA EL BINGO CONTACTAR A MARY ESCAMILLA.

PARA DONAR DINERO PARA LA COMIDA/ COCINA CONTACTAR A ANITA SILVA

St. Joseph's Catholic Church/Rhineland
and Santa Rosa/Knox City

St. Joseph & Santa Rosa will experience the loving intimacy of **Holy Thursday**, the stark sorrow, failure, and loss of **Good Friday**, the rich mystery of the **Easter Vigil**, and the exultant joy of **Easter**.

This is our Holy Week Schedule:

April 17 Holy Thursday

6:00 PM Mass at St. Joseph

THE EVENING MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

(The washing of the feet, the presentation of Holy Oils, the procession of The Blessed Sacrament to the special altar and keeping vigil in the Church until Midnight)

7:30 PM-Mass at Santa Rosa/ Knox City

April 18 Good Friday

5:30 PM Stations of the Cross

6:00 PM The Celebration of the Lord's Passion

(Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the Cross, and Holy Communion)

No Service at Santa Rosa

April 19 Holy Saturday

8:00 PM Easter Vigil at St. Joseph

(Blessing of the Fire, Procession with the Paschal Candle,
Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of Baptism, Renewal of the
Baptismal vows, Confirmation and Liturgy of the Eucharist.)

April 20 Easter Sunday

9:00 AM Mass (Celebration of the Resurrection of the Lord)

11:00 AM Mass at Santa Rosa/Knox City

HAPPY EASTER – CHRIST IS RISEN – ALLELUIA