

Infant Jesus Catholic Church

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January: The Month of the Holy Name



Mass Schedule

Saturday—5:30 PM
Sunday—7:30 AM; 11:30 AM
Daily Mass
Tuesday—6:00 PM
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—
8:30 AM

“Cry Room” is Open during all Masses

Confession

Thursday: 4:00-6:00 PM
and by appointment

Office Hours

409-755-1734
Monday thru Friday
9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Church offices are located at
243 S. LHS Dr.

Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Persons wishing to use the Adoration
Chapel should contact the Parish Office
for more information.

Religious Education

Office Hours
Monday-Thursday 9AM to 2:00PM

Grades Pre-K-12: Wednesdays, 6:00-7:30PM

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Andrew Moore	Pastor	ext. #103
	Parochial Vicar	ext. #102
Rev. Mr. L.D. Keen	Deacon	ext. #100
Rev. Mr. Garry LeBlanc	Deacon	ext. #100
Rev. Mr. Bruce Grimes	Deacon	ext. #100
Dianne Maxey	Secretary	ext. #100
Virginia Fischer	Receptionist	
Stacy Keen	Director of Rel. Ed.	ext. #114
Christie Barto	Assist. to DRE/Social Media	
Reagan Blackmon	Dir. of Music/Liturgy	ext. #105
	Lectors/Eucharistic Ministers	
Jim Maxey	Maintenance	ext. #100
Melissa Broussard	Catholic Youth Ministry	454-0431
Shelia Kane	Bereavement Committee	755-3073

Area Code (409)

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Live Your Faith
Share Your Faith**



Be united in the same mind
and in the same purpose.

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PRAYER GROUP

Pray for the sick

Marlene Steele, Anthony Tantillo, Tara Nolan, Zoe Barker, Cheyenne Eads, Larry Coplen, Mary Gallo, Randy Cassity, Boyce Barnes, Margaret Barnes, Marciano Guerrero

Janice Morris, Fr. Martin Nelson, Melissa Langhart, Keith Falcon, Jim Venable, JoAnn Sonnier, Joe Farve, Lois Lockwood, Margaret Darby, David Norton, Daniel Begnaud, Karen Getz, Donald Poche, Debbie Desmond, Florence Paladino, Gail Montalbano, Lee Summers, Trevor Reeves, Johnnie Foret, Judson Stone, Jackie Bonvillion, Ronnie Vincent, Hunter Oney

Names placed on the prayer list will remain for one month unless the Parish Office is notified otherwise.

SUNDAY CELEBRATIONS IN ABSENCE OF A PRIEST

A communion service led by a deacon is scheduled in place of Mass for the following times. It is encouraged that if possible you try to attend Mass at another time instead of the communion service, but for those who cannot do so without difficulty, participation in the communion service will fulfill the Sunday Mass obligation.

January 29 Infant Jesus 11:30am February 18 St. Mark 4:00pm
February 4 Infant Jesus 5:30pm

GOOD NEWS—Inspiration for daily life—January 22

Do everything calmly and peacefully. Do as much as you can as well as you can. Strive to see God in all things without exception, and consent to His will joyously.—St. Francis de Sales (1567-1622), Bishop & Doctor, Feast Day January 24th.

Pray for Vocations

Repent! The kingdom of heaven is at hand.

Are you being called to proclaim the coming of the kingdom as a priest, deacon, religious sister or brother? Contact Fr. Rodel Faller at the Vocations Office by calling 409-924-4361 or by emailing: vocations@diocesofbmt.org.



Annual Diocesan

JUBILEE MASS

Celebrating couples married for 25, 50 & 50+ years!

Sunday, February 12, 2023 at 12:00PM Noon

St. Anthony Cathedral Basilica, Beaumont, Tx

The Most Reverend David L. Toups, STHD, Principal Celebrant

To Register by Email: rbarbry@diocesofbmt.org; phone 409-924-4362

Please mention the names for each spouse, the anniversary celebrated, and your home parish.

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time January 22, 2023

*"The Lord is my light and my salvation."
Psalm 27:1*

Scripture Readings

For the Week of January 22, 2023

Sunday	Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 8:23—9:3; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23
Monday	Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday	Memorial of Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2 & 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11; Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday	Feast of the Conversion of Paul the Apostle Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18
Thursday	Memorial of Saints Timothy and Titus, bishops 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 4:21-25
Friday	Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mk 4:26-34
Saturday	Memorial of Saint Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Mk 4:35-41
Sunday	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Zep 2:3; 3:12-13; Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10; 1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 5:1-12a

Readings Reflection

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Light and Darkness

Zebulun and Naphtali were part of the Northern Kingdom of Israel, which was destroyed when the Assyrians invaded. The people were sent into exile. Even in this time of darkness, God provided hope and light.

The time of Jesus was also a time of darkness, with oppression by the Romans. Jesus provides light in this time by proclaiming the Kingdom of God.

Reflection Questions:

Where do I see light and darkness in our world today?

How can I use my strengths and weaknesses to build up my parish community?

Do I avoid cliques and factions in my Christian communities?

How can I encourage and listen to diverse voices in the groups I belong to?

Infant Jesus CMLink Sale

Sunday, January 22nd following the 11:30am Mass

Meal: link wrapped in tortilla, cold soda and a bag of chips for \$5.00

This fundraiser helps our Infant Jesus teens attend the Diocesan summer youth convention in June.

Pastor's Note

On this Sunday of the Word of God, I just want to remind you of our on-going bible study groups.

At Infant Jesus, Deacon Keen leads the "Breaking Open the Word" group that meets on Monday evenings in the Fellowship Hall at 6pm. This is an opportunity to reflect on and discuss the readings you will hear on the coming Sunday at Mass. It's a great way to go deeper into God's Word and make your experience at Mass even better.

At St. Mark's, Kathy Watson guides a themed bible study each semester. Our spring 2023 theme is "The Gifts of the Holy Spirit in Scripture". They meet each Thursday at 10am in Farmer Hall. This study will help you connect the scriptures to your spiritual life in a more effective manner.

Anyone from any of our three Hardin County churches is invited, as well as friends, neighbors, spouses and anyone else!

I'd like to ask you to also keep our deacons in your prayers this weekend. They are attending the annual deacon retreat at Holy Family Retreat Center in Beaumont. They and their wives give so generously of their time and loving service to our parish family and we can ask God to bless them abundantly and renew them spiritually during these days of retreat. And thank you for your prayers for me this past week as we had our priests retreat from Monday- Friday.

Thanks to everyone who has made a gift in January to the pro-life ministry of Birthright of Beaumont, helping expectant mothers in need. If you'd still like to donate, it's not too late.

May God's loving mercy be with you and your family!
--Fr. Andy

Habits for Holiness

...for it is written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy." - Peter 1:16



1st Annual
CHRIST IN Her
Catholic Women's Conference

March 11, 2023
8:30am - 5:00pm Mass

St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church
6825 Gladys Ave, Beaumont, TX 77706

SCAN WITH CAMERA FOR INFO & TO REGISTER
COST: \$25 - Includes light breakfast, lunch, gift bag & more!

TO PAY BY CHECK, CALL LEAH CLEVELAND: 409-790-3097



JACKIE FRANCOIS ANGEL



ALLISON SULLIVAN



SISTER JULIE GREIG



Altar Society News

All women of the parish are invited to the next Altar Society meeting, Wednesday, February 1st at 9:00am in the Altar Society Building.

Thursday, February 2nd, join us for Gumbo making at 7:30am in Dollinger Hall

All are welcome and please make plans to join us.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Joe and Megan Vosters

January, 2023 BIRTHDAYS

Larry Coplen, Martin Maniscalco, Don

DeMartino, John Salyers, David Maniscalco, James Pickett,

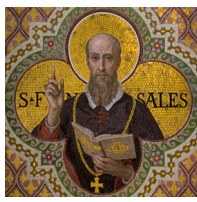
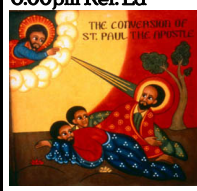
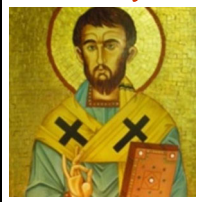
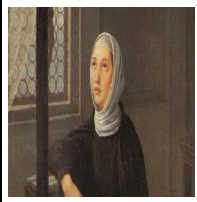
Tommy Ehrensberger, Sr., Tommy Ehrensberger, Jr., Doug

LaCour, Jesse Domingue

Business Meeting every 2nd Monday of each month at 6:00pm in Dollinger Hall.

Family Night meets every 4th Monday of each month at 6:30pm in Dollinger Hall.

ALL PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED. Bring your favorite covered dish.

22 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30am Mass <i>Faye Babin</i> 11:30am Mass <i>Vincent Rinando</i>	23 8:30AM Mass <i>NOMASS</i> Parish Offices Open 9:00 AM-2:00 PM 6:00pm Bible Study (FH) 6:00pm Knights of Columbus (C/DH) <i>Pray for the Unborn Children</i> 	24 6:00 PM Mass <i>George Garsea</i> 5:30pm Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet Parish Offices Open 9:00 AM-2:00PM 6:30pm ACTS-M (DH) 	25 8:30AM Mass 8:00am Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet Parish Offices Open 9:00AM-2:00PM 9am Adoration  9:30am Legion of Mary (DH) 6:00pm RCIA 6:00pm Rel. Ed 	26 8:30AM Mass 8:00am Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet Parish Offices Open 9:00AM-2:00PM 4-6pm Confessions <i>St. Timothy</i> 	27 8:30AM Mass <i>Carl Hulin</i> 8:00am Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet Parish Offices Open 9:00AM-2:00PM 4-6pm Confessions <i>St. Angela Merici</i> 	28 5:30PM Mass Vigil-The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>People of the Parish</i>
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FH-Fellowship Hall, DH-Dollinger Hall, CR-Conference Room, D-Drexel Building, B-Bosco Building, AS-Altar Society Rm