



Holy Family Catholic Church

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	Lenora Braddock..... 806-367-3445

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - No Mass
Tuesday - Friday - 5:30pm
Saturday - 5:30pm
Sunday - 9:15am

Office Hours: M-W 10 - 4pm
Th-Fr 9 - 1pm

Confessions on Saturday
1 hour before Mass



Zechariah 9:9-10; Psalm 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14
Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matthew 11:25-30

Jesus is portrayed in today's Gospel as a new and greater Moses.

Moses, the meekest man on earth, was God's friend .Only he knew God “face to face”. And Moses gave Israel the yoke of the Law, through which God first revealed Himself and how we are to live .

Jesus, too, is meek and humble. But He is more than God's friend. He is the Son who alone knows the Father. He is more also than a law-giver, presenting Himself today as the yoke of a new Law and as the revealed Wisdom of God. As Wisdom, Jesus was present before creation as the firstborn of God, the Father and Lord of heaven and earth. And He gives knowledge of the holy things of the kingdom of God.

In the gracious will of the Father, Jesus reveals these things only to the “childlike”—those who humble themselves before Him as little children . These alone can recognize and receive Jesus as the just savior and meek king promised to daughter Zion, Israel, in today's First Reading. We, too, are called to childlike faith in the Father's goodness as sons and daughters of the new kingdom, the Church.

We are to live by the Spirit we received in Baptism putting to death our old ways of thinking and acting, as Paul exhorts in today's Epistle. Our “yoke” is to be His new law of love, by which we enter into the “rest” of His kingdom.

As we sing in today's Psalm, we joyously await the day when we will praise His name forever in the kingdom that lasts for all ages. This is the sabbath rest promised by Jesus—the rest first anticipated by Moses, but which still awaits the people of God .

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, July 15, at 5:30pm

Servers: Zane Schulte, Autum Birkenfeld,
Addie Birkenfeld

Lectors: Bryan Charanza, Ronnie Hoelting

Hospitality: Sandra Kleman & Joel Gerber

Gift Bearer: Joel & Mary Beth Gerber

Ushers: Parish Council

Sunday, July 16, 2023 at 9:15am

Servers: Kate Brockman, Barrett Brockman,
Jared Acker

Lectors: Max Snead, Joshua Raef

Hospitality: Dwayne Acker & Sandee Hoelting

Gift Bearer: Gregg Gerber Family

Ushers: Parish Council

Saturday, July 22, at 9:15am

Servers: Spencer Acker, Kamden Osmanski,
Kaylin Acker

Lectors: Dwight Acker, Felice Acker

Hospitality: Betty Acker & Judy Lange

Gift Bearer: Don & Betty Acker

Ushers: Parish Council

Sunday, July 23, 2023 at 5:30pm

Servers: Bryson Brockman, Drew Bennett,
Colton Bennet

Lectors: Samantha Fulkerson, Angela Fulkerson

Hospitality: Joel Gerber & Lisa Braddock

Gift Bearer: Norman & Stacy Gerber

Ushers: Parish Council

Pray for Moisture
Pray for Peace !!

This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday - July 10, 2023
No Mass

Tuesday - July 11, 2023
5:30pm - LeRoy Pohlmeier, RIP
(Family)

Wednesday - July 12, 2023
5:30pm - Ed Ramaekers, RIP
Anniversary (*Leola Ramaekers Family*)

Thursday - July 13, 2023
5:30pm - Communion Service

Friday - July 14, 2023
5:30pm - Communion Service

Saturday - July 15, 2023
5:30pm - Ethel Schmucker, RIP
(*Family*)

Sunday - July 16, 2023
9:15am - Parishioners

STEWARDSHIP

July 1st & 2nd, 2023

Identifiable Contributors - \$4,199.00

Children Collection - \$69.75

Votive Collection - \$43.50

Total Collection - \$4,312.25

Special Collection

Perryton Tornado Victims - \$3,107.00

***THANKS FOR YOUR SHARING
OF GOD'S BLESSINGS WITH US!***

Please Pray For . . .

All our sick and elderly

Joshua Moore, Christine Acker, Ralph Albracht,
Joanne Lacy, Chunky Wilhelm, Clayton Acker,
Phillip Birkenfeld, Brandy Murrell

all those in Ministry, especially

Our Parish Vocations: Father Raj Samala, Father Bala,
Fr. Nick Gerber and Fr. John Dalton, Father Bhaskar;
Dcn Bob Birkenfeld, Dcn Joe Hochstein and
All Religious from Holy Family Parish

And for our deceased loved ones

This Week's Calendar

Sunday, July 9, 2023

9:15am - Mass in Holy Family Church

4:00pm - Mass in Holy Family Church

Monday, July 10, 2023

No Mass

Tuesday, July 11, 2023

6:00am - Men's Prayer Group

7:00am - Mass

Wednesday, July 12, 2023

8am-1am - Adoration at the Chapel in the Inn

11:30am - Noon Meal:

5:30pm - Mass in Holy Family Church

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NAZARETH LIBRARY

Open Monday 10am - 12pm

Thursday - 4pm - 6pm

Contact Bev Schulte 806-647-8217 or
Rita Hoelting 806-781-8888**Religious Article Store**

Come see what we have!!!

Open after Each Weekend Mass

Or call Dorothy Kleman 806-945-2396

Announcements**Auxiliary Bingo** - Sunday, July 23 at 2:00pm in the Senior Citizens Building.**SAVE THE DATE:** Server Appreciation 2023! Swimming at Dimmitt Country Club. 6:00pm - 8:00pm. Grades 4-12 Life guard will be on duty. Hamburgers, chips, a drink and snow Cones. Please RSVP by July 26th. Missy Kleman 806-627-7132 or Jolene Schulte 806-240-0448.**Upcoming Acts Retreats:** Women's ACTS Retreat is scheduled Thursday, July 20 to Sunday, July 23, at the Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center. For information about ACTS in the Diocese of Amarillo, please contact Norma Frausto at 806-683-4623.**Lenten Donations** has been divided up between West Texas A&M Catholic Center (\$2,626.05) and the other half to Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Perryton for Tornado Victims (\$2,626.05). The Children's Lenten money went to our local Child Protective Service in the sum of \$1,368.86.

The special collection from last week (\$3,107.00) will go to the diocese along with all of the other churches and the diocese will send to the Perryton tornado victims.

THANK YOU NOTES:

A huge thank you for all the healing prayers - not completely healed yet but at least on the right path. Thank you to all who delivered meals, they were delicious and to those who stopped by to visit. Thank you for those who stepped in to keep the Meals on Wheels program running. It is so wonderful to belong to a caring and giving parish and community.

Christine Acker and family

Thank you all so very much for the week long full of wishes, for my 100th birthday. The yard signs were beautiful and we got a lot of good pictures. We were so glad Todd could be here to get us to the always nice Memorial Day Service and breakfast and "the happy birthday song".

We loved Todd getting us to the Wednesday meal and another happy birthday song. We loved Todd & Traci getting us to Mass, to hear "Consider the Lilies" and another happy birthday song. We loved the surprise party and the fact that 16 grands and 47 nieces & nephews came from 4 different states & sang another happy birthday song! Thanks for all the help, all the visits and we did love each & every one of the 148 cards. You all did an awful good job. Thank you so very much!!!!

*Love, Bev & Charley***Wednesday Noon Meal****We are taking a Break...****There will be no Wednesday meals
through July & August !!!**



STEUBENVILLE 2023

“Call to me, all you who labor and are burdened,
and I will give you rest”

Matthew 11:28

Adamari Rios
Adrian Rios
Anna Chea
Blaise Snead
Bryson Brockman
Charly Mask
Chloe Birkenfeld
Emerson Moore
Emy Schwartz
Ethan Brockman
Gracie Raef
Harley Gerber
Iris Schilderink
Jack Welps
Jentri Birkenfeld
Jett Ramaekers
Kamre Mask
Kattey Gerber
Lexi Ramaekers
Madison Brockman

Max Snead
Michael Fulkerson
Miles Nelson
Reid Backus
Riley Ramaekers
Samantha Fulkerson
Simon Snead
Spencer Acker
Zac Huseman
Allison Kleman
Dawn Ramaekers
Katy Schulte
Briann Wethington
Garrett Kleman
Steven Birkenfeld
Mason Kleman
Bradley Gerber
Bob Birkenfeld
Fr. Raj

Our journey begins July 13th, please pray for us!

Dear Heavenly Father, I place before you each person that has made the commitment to attend the Steubenville Conference in Tucson, Arizona. Please make their path easy and clear all obstacles. Help each of them to open their hearts and their minds to you so that they may truly experience the fullness of your love. Father, I place each person attending in your hands. Protect them and keep them safe. Guide them this weekend to make steps toward knowing, loving, and serving You more. Bless each of them with a strong Catholic faith and a deeper understanding and love for the Eucharist. Amen.

Welcome Visitors!!

Please feel right at home.
We are glad to have you.

Like to Join Our Church:

Call the Parish Office 806-945-2616
or Dcn Joe Hochstein 627-7026

**For Baptisms, Marriages,
Home Blessings
Sick, Hospital Visits, or Funerals**

Call Father Raj
806-316-4146 or the
Office 806-945-2616

Baptism - One sponsor must be
Catholic, confirmed & 14 years old

Marriage - contact office
6 months in advance
Engaged Encounter &
Natural Family Planning
classes needed.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon - Wed 10:am - 4pm
Thurs- Fri 9am - 1pm

Bulletin Deadline: Tues by 4pm

Parish Website: hfpn.org

Parish Email:
Holyfamilynaz@gmail.com

ADORATION

Wed 8am - Thurs 1am
Holy Family Inn

Family Eucharist Adoration will
be held the 1st Sunday of
every month from 4 - 5pm.

To Book Community Hall

Alyssa Barton
806-367-3438

Book Home Merc

Kamber Kleman
806-240-5594

Book Senior Citizens

David Olvera - 945-2249

Book Rooms at the INN

Karleen Hoelting
806-671-1839

EWTN Local Radio

Nazareth - 105.5 FM
1010 AM

Hart -102.3 FM (Spanish)

THE RELIGIOUS ARTICLE STORE

In the foyer of Church
Open after Mass
on Weekends.

Call: Dorothy Kleman
806-945-2396
Vera Hoelting
903-450-7742

RESPECT FOR LIFE PRAYERS

during Blessed Sacrament
Adoration

8:00am Wednesday thru
1:00am Thursday
The Chapel of the
Holy Family Inn

THE FOOD PANTRY

Open every other Saturday
at the Boy Scout Building
Donations and volunteers

WEDNESDAY - NOON MEAL

Senior Citizen Building
11:30am - 12pm
Home Cooked Meal
Each Wednesday
\$10.00 per plate

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MEALS ON WHEELS

Tuesdays & Thursdays

Holy Family Inn 945-2605
Christine Acker 945-2683