



Holy Family Catholic Church

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806-316-4146

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Saturday Choir:	Lenora Braddock..... 806-367-3445
Sunday Choir:	Lisa Schulte..... 806-240-3632
	Darlene Schulte..... 806-647-7556

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - No Mass
Tuesday - Thursday - 5:30pm
Friday - 7:00am
Saturday - 5:30pm
Sunday - 9:15am

Confessions on Saturday 1 hour before Mass
Office Hours: M - W 10 - 4pm
Th - Fr 9 - 1pm



Sunday, January 28, 2024

Deuteronomy 18:15–20; Psalm 95:1–2, 6–9
1 Corinthians 7:32–35; Mark 1:21–28

Last week, Jesus announced the kingdom of God is at hand. This week, in mighty words and deeds, He exercises His dominion—asserting royal authority over the ruler of this world, Satan.

Notice that today’s events take place on the sabbath. The sabbath was to be an everlasting sign—both of God’s covenant love for His creation, and His deliverance of His covenant people, Israel, from slavery.

On this sabbath, Jesus signals a new creation—that the Holy One has come to purify His people and deliver the world from evil. “With an unclean spirit” is biblical language for a man possessed by a demon, Satan being the prince of demons

The demons’ question: “What have you to do with us?” is often used in Old Testament scenes of combat and judgment and as God by His Word “rebuked” the forces of chaos in creating the world, and again rebuked the Red Sea so the Israelites could make their exodus, Mark uses the same word to describe Jesus rebuking the demons .

Jesus is the prophet foretold by Moses in today’s First Reading. Though He has authority over heaven and earth, He becomes one of our own kinsmen.

He comes to rebuke the forces of evil and chaos—not only in the world, but in our lives. He wants to make us holy in body and spirit, as Paul says in today’s Epistle.

In this liturgy, we hear His voice and “see” His works, as we sing in today’s Psalm. And as Moses tells us today, we should listen to Him.

Liturgical Ministers**Saturday, Feb 3rd at 5:30pm****Servers:** Dayne Schulte, Blakely & Brooklyn Kleman**Lectors:** Bryan Charanza, Mary Verkamp**Hospitality:** Mary Verkamp, Sandra Kleman**Gift Bearer:** Nikki Wethington, Braden Wethington**Sunday, Feb 4th at 9:15am****Servers:** Scout Sunday**Lectors:** Scout Sunday**Hospitality:** Scout Sunday**Gift Bearer:** Scout Sunday

Saturday, Feb 10th at 5:30pm**Servers:** Charley Mask, Braeli Fuller, Reagan Schulte**Lectors:** Dennis Gerber, Dana Kleman**Hospitality:** Rocky & Dianne Wilhelm**Gift Bearer:** Don & Betty Acker**Sunday, Feb 11th at 9:15am****Servers:** Tripp & Rhett Ethridge, Kaylie Schilling**Lectors:** Felice & Dwight Acker**Hospitality:** Sandee Hoelting Dwayne Acker**Gift Bearer:** The Brent Wilhelm**This Week's Mass Intentions****Monday, Jan 29th, 2024**
No Mass**Tuesday Jan 30th, 2024**
5:30pm - Estelle Keys, RIP
Anniversary (Family)**Wednesday - 31st, 2024**
5:30pm - Successful Surgery
for Lydia Schacher
(Julene Gerber)**Thursday - Feb 1st, 2024**
5:30pm - Deceased members of
Josephine Ball Family, RIP
(Family)**Friday - Feb 2nd, 2024**
7:00am - Living and Deceased members
Of the Christian Mother's**Saturday - Feb 3rd, 2024**
5:30pm - Raymond Braddock, RIP
(Dennis & Dolores Gerber)**Sunday - Feb 4th, 2024**
9:15am - Sid Birkenfeld, RIP
(Family)**STEWARDSHIP****January 20th & 21st, 2024**

Identifiable Contributors - \$6,541.25

Children Collection - \$71.83

Votive Collection - \$33.51

Total Collection - \$6,646.59***THANKS FOR YOUR SHARING
OF GOD'S BLESSINGS WITH US!******Please Pray For . . .*****All our sick and elderly**Lydia Schacher, Georgianne McCormick,
Kirkland Sperry, Floyd Birkenfeld,
B J & Madelyn Kern & baby Jane,
Jimmy Huseman, Cory Walls,**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****Has your address or phone number changed?**Please let us know, call the Rectory 806-945-2616 or
put a note in our mail box on the front porch. Also, if you
are **new** to our parish, please fill out a registration card.
You can find them in the back of church or at the Rectory.
Thank you.Pray for good moisture,
good weather
and Peace on Earth!!!

This Week's Calendar

Sunday, Jan 28th, 2024

9:15am - Mass

Eucharistic Minister Training after Mass

Monday, Jan 29th, 2024

No Mass

Tuesday, Jan 30th, 2024

5:30pm - Mass

Wednesday, Jan 31st, 2024

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

11:30am Wed Meal - **Glazed Pork Roast**

5:30pm - Mass

6:30pm - CCD K- 12th

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Friday, Feb 2nd, 2024

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9:15am - Mass

Boy Scouts will be hosting Mass

Parents please encourage your children to enter the Catholic Daughter's Education Contest. The deadline is January 30th. There are cash prizes for the top entries. Thank you!

The new officers and members of our Parish Council will be: Anthony Hochstein - President; Shane Ethridge - Vice President; Missy Kleman - Secretary; Garrett Kleman - Vizier. Members: Bryan Huseman, Bryan Charanza, Mark Hoelting, Dianne Huseman, Michael Snead, Tausha Schacher, Celina Braddock, Joshua Raef.

We are in need of more Hospitality Greeters at both Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses. This would entail arriving to Mass twenty minutes early and greeting Mass-goers. You would be scheduled about once per month. If you or your spouse/family would like to minister in this way, please call or text Vanessa at 683-3452.

Make plans to attend: Eucharistic Minister Training, January 28, 2024 after 9:15 am Mass. All current and aspiring Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers attend training!

The Nazareth Boy Scouts will be hosting Mass on Sunday, February 4th.

Library Book Study will begin the week of February 12th, and end the week of March 11th. The book we have chosen is "He Did This Just for You by Max Lucado. WE meet Mondays at 9:00 - 10:00 or you can attend Thursdays from 5:30 - 6:30. You can get a copy of the book at the library for \$5.00. Come join our discussion group as we prepare for Easter.

.St. Ann's Catholic Church invites you to their Annual Sausage Dinner, Sunday, January 28th at 11:30am - 3:00PM (Texas Time) Donations will be \$15.00 for adults, \$6.00 for children under 6. Take Out Plates are Available

Nazareth Fire Department Super Bowl Party will be held at the Community Hall, February 11th, 2024 at 4:00pm. \$1,000.00 paid after 1st, 2nd & 3rd quarters \$1,500.00 paid after 4th quarter. Ticket will buy drinks & steak dinner for 2 and lots of Fun!!! Get your tickets from any fireman, \$150.00 per ticket or call Landon Schulte at 806-252-5101

Religious Article Store



Come by after Mass and see what we have in our store!!!

Open after each Weekend Mass
Call Dorothy Kleman 806-945-2396
or Vera Hoelting

NAZARETH LIBRARY

OPEN MONDAY 10AM - 12PM

THURSDAY - 4PM - 6PM

Contact Bev Schulte 806-647-8217
Rita Hoelting 806-781-8888



February 4th, 2024

2:00pm - JH Youth at CCD Building
Topic: Desert Wanderer: The Real Meaning of Lent

No Mass

HS Youth Bowling

FARM SALE

Feb 3rd, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

Regarding the upcoming farm auction, all titles need to be dropped off to Marcus Brockman at the bank. **MAKE SURE TO SIGN THE TITLES AND THE TRANSFER APPLICATIONS** there at the bank so the auctioneers don't have to hunt you down later for a signature. If your titled item doesn't sell, you'll get the title and that paperwork back.

If you have a floor price on your item(s), it is your responsibility to protect it. Please make sure you register as a buyer in the same name as the sale items you're protecting so they can link the 2 names. Then you won't be charged if you buy any of the items back, other than the PO fee. You may want to get more than one buyer number if you are protecting or yourself and a business.

Parish Council Meeting:

The parish council met on January 18. New officers were elected: President-Anthony Hochstein, vice-president Shane Ethridge, secretary- Missy Kleman and vizier- Garrett Kleman.

The Mary Undoer of Knots statue project is progressing. The church is still accepting donations for it.

The CCD building received a new much needed copier, and bids are being received for the new addition and remodeling of the existing building.

Some changes to upcoming masses and events for the Easter season include Holy Thursday and Good Friday masses starting at 6:30 instead of 7:00. Also, outdoor stations of the cross on Good Friday will begin at 2:00 in order to finish in church close to the 3:00 hour. The Divine Mercy chaplet will also be said at the end of stations.

Lastly, Father has asked that the Christmas trees in church not be put up until the second Sunday of Advent and not lit up until closer to Christmas.

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH ASH WEDNESDAY & HOLY WEEK MASS SCHEDULES

Ash Wednesday, Feb 147:00am & 5:30pm

Holy Thursday, March 286:30pm The Lord's Supper Good

Friday, March 296:30pm Passion of the Lord

Holy Saturday, March 30.....8:30pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday, March 31.....9:15am

Penance Service - Tuesday March 12, at 6:30pm

Stations of the Cross - Lenten Fridays at 6:30pm Good Friday -

Stations of the Cross will be outside at 2pm followed by

the Divine Mercy Chaplet in the Church

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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

Bulletin Deadline:
Wed by noon

Parish Website: hfpn.org

Parish Email:
Holyfamilynaz@gmail.com

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

Guadalupe Catholic
Radio
Network

Nazareth - 105.5 FM
1010 AM

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
are welcome!

WEDNESDAY - NOON MEAL

Every Wednesday
Senior Citizen's Bldg
\$10.00 a plate -
11:30am -12:30pm

January 31 - Glazed Pork Roast

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MEALS ON WHEELS

Tuesdays & Thursdays

Holy Family Inn 945-2605
Christine Acker 945-2683