

## **PARISH STAFF**

**Rev. Hector J. Madrigal, Pastor**

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Deacon

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Administrative Assistant

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Receptionist/Secretary

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Director of Faith Formation

**Luis Caldera**  
Youth Ministry Support

**Loretta Martinez**  
Bulletin/Web Editor  
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**Phil Seidenberger** - Parish Council President  
**Sonia Higgins** - Finance Council President  
**Denice Haley** - Altar Society President  
Adult Faith Formation

**Lisa Alvarez** - Children's Faith Formation  
**Steve and Alejandra Miller** - Impacting Teens  
**Lola Wooten** - Saint Luke's Ministry

**Music Ministry**  
**Yolanda Hernandez** - 5:00 pm Saturday Mass  
8:00 am Sunday Mass  
**Pat Carathers & Alvin Garcia** - 11:00 am  
Sunday Mass

**Angi Seidenberger**  
Saint Joseph School Principal

**Miechele Ronquillo**  
School Board President

**Josie Herrera**  
Parent Teachers Organization President

**Gail Saiz**  
St. Joseph Day Care Center Director

**Office Hours**  
Monday—Thursday 8:30am—3:30pm  
Friday 8:30 am-12:00 noon  
Lunch 12:00pm-1:00pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation ( Confession )**  
Saturday 3:40 PM - 4:30 PM  
or by appointment

**Holy Sacrifice of the Mass**  
Saturday 5:00PM Sunday 8:00 & 11:00 AM-English  
Spanish Mass 1:00 PM Sudanese Mass 6:00 PM

**No Mass on Monday**  
Tuesday 6:30 PM  
Wed., Thurs. & Fri. 8:15 AM

**Adoration Chapel**  
**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
Monday 8:00 a.m. — 10:00 p.m.  
Tuesday-Friday 5:00 a.m. — 10:00 p.m.  
Saturday 5:00 a.m. — 3:00 p.m.



**FEBRUARY 15, 2015**  
**SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**SEXTO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO**

## **St. Joseph Parish Mission Statement**

### **WELCOMING ALL AND FORMING DISCIPLES**

We are a family united in our catholic Faith  
That welcomes all God's children  
Forming disciples by Continuing  
Christ's mission of Love, Service, and Education.

## **Saint Joseph Catholic Church**

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Diocesan website: [amarillodiocese.org](http://amarillodiocese.org)  
**BULLETIN DEADLINE: Monday at noon**

### **CAMPUS OFFICES**

**Saint Joseph Elementary School 806-359-1604**  
**Saint Joseph Day Care Center 806-353-7043**  
**Holy Cross Catholic Academy 806-355-9637**

**Children's Faith Formation (K-5)**  
**and Youth Faith Formation (6-12)**  
**Wednesdays: 7:00 p.m. — 8:30 p.m.**  
**Saint Joseph School Classrooms**

**I. T. " Impacting Teens**  
**Third Sunday of the month**

**Sacrament of Baptism**  
Contact the Parish Office

**Sacrament of Matrimony**  
Contact the Parish Office

# Welcome to St. Joseph Catholic Church!

## 4122 S. Bonham St. Amarillo, TX 79110



A leper came to Jesus and kneeling down begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean." Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean."

Mk 1:40-41

### 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"He remained outside in deserted places, and people kept coming to him from everywhere." Nothing could stop the crowds from gathering. Men, women, and children traveled from near and far--everywhere--to find Jesus. Even when he was not easily accessible, even when he was in deserted places that were probably remote, hard to find, and not welcoming to weary pilgrims, they found him. Word had spread quickly about the miraculous healing of the leprous man. And people wanted to know what it was all about.

Undoubtedly, once they found Jesus, they knew that this was no ordinary man. Yes, he had the power to cure illnesses and drive out demons. But more than that, he had the power to change hearts. His words of compassion and mercy, and the actions that backed them up, must have caused many a conversion during those encounters in the deserted places. Whether it was simple curiosity or profound faith that led all of those people to find Jesus we'll never know. It was most likely some of both. But regardless of the motivation, once they found him everyone could see Jesus for who he really was. Although we don't have the opportunity to see him in person, we do have the chance to search for Jesus and to find him. Sometimes, he may seem remote. Maybe we don't automatically feel his presence. Perhaps, when times are tough, we wonder where he is hiding. But when we persevere in our journey by praying, reading the Bible, and receiving the sacraments, we too can find the Lord. And as we bring our needs to him, Jesus will be "moved with pity" for us as well and will extend to us the healing love that has transformed so many hearts throughout Christian history.

### LENTEN REGULATIONS

**Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.**

**FASTING:** One full meal. Two smaller meals may also be taken, but not to equal a full meal from age 18 until age 59.

**ABSTINENCE:** No meat on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays of Lent for everyone 14 years of age or older.

### PARISH INFORMATION

#### ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL NEWS

St. Joseph School is now having open registration for the school year 2015-2016, please call the school for information. **There will be school** on Monday, February 16th, President's Day, this is a snow make up day.

#### CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

We are not having Faith Formation on Wednesday, February 18, 2015 due to Ash Wednesday. Thank you, God bless!

#### SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD MEMBER

It is that time of the year again to call on new members for the St. Joseph School Advisory Board. If you are interested in fulfilling the call to help shape the young minds of our children, please take some time to visit with a school board member in the gathering area after Mass. They will also be providing information of what being a board member entails and would be glad to answer any questions you might have. For more information please contact Michele Ronquillo-Advisory Board President 806-316-6418 or Angi Seidenberger-Principal 806-359-1604.

#### IMPACTING TEENS

Thanks to all who helped with the Smorgasbord last week-end!! Saturday will be the Thematic Retreat in the school gym and is open to all 7th -12th graders in our parish. For more information Contact Luis Caldera @915-346-9077 before the 15th for early registration. You can also register at the door the day of. There is NO IT on Ash Wednesday but all Teens are encouraged to go to the 7pm Service.

#### Daycare News

**DAYCARE** The daycare is doing really well, we are at capacity in every classroom except for our after school care. If you are needing afterschool care or just want to come and take a tour of our facility please call Gail at 353-7043

#### COLLECTION FOR THE CHURCH IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE

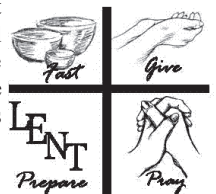
On Ash Wednesday we will take up a collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. The collection eases the way for the people of the region by helping Catholic organizations offer affordable shelter, train seminarians, and provide pastoral care and catechesis. Your donation helps to **restore the Church and build the future** in the aftermath of Soviet rule. Please be generous. Visit [www.uscb.org](http://www.uscb.org) (search "Church in Central and Eastern Europe") to learn more about the important projects funded by the collection.

#### LENT WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE

Beginning on Tuesday the 24<sup>th</sup> of February Mass will be moved to 12:15 noon and we will have **two Masses on Wednesday 8:15 am and 6:30 pm.**

#### CELEBRATE THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every Tuesday during Lent the Priests of the Central Deanery will be hearing confessions in a designated Church from 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm. We will begin at St. Joseph's that will be hosting confessions without a Penance Service on Tuesday the 24<sup>th</sup> of February. March 3rd at St. Hyacinth's; March 10th at St. Thomas; March 17th at Blessed Sacrament and March 24th at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. There will also be a Deanery-Wide/Citywide Penance Service on Thursday, March 26th at St. Mary's Cathedral, beginning at 7:00 p.m.



## NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA

### NOTICIAS DE LA ESCUELA DE SAN JOSÉ

Las inscripciones para el año escolar del 2015-2016 ya empezaron. Los invitamos a que vengan a inscribir a sus hijos y a conocer la escuela. **NOTA IMPORTANTE: EL LUNES 16 DE FEBRERO SI HABRÁ CLASES.** Ese día es cuando recuperaremos el día que perdimos debido a la nevada.

### MIEMBRO DEL CONSEJO ESCOLAR

Otra vez es esa época del año en que los invitamos a formar parte del Consejo Escolar. Si usted está interesado en escuchar el llamado para ayudar a formar las mentes de nuestros niños, por favor tómese un tiempo para hablar con algún miembro del consejo escolar después de la Misa en el área de recepción. Ellos contestarán cualquier pregunta que usted pueda tener. Para más información favor de comunicarse con Mischele Ronquillo-Presidente del Consejo Escolar al 806-316-6418 o con Angi Seidenberger-Directora de la Escuela de San José al 806-359-1604

### FORMACIÓN EN LA FE PARA NIÑOS

El 18 de febrero Miércoles de Ceniza, no tendremos clases de Formación en la Fe. Gracias, Dios los Bendiga!!

### FORMACIÓN EN LA FE PARA ADOLESCENTES- I.T

Gracias a todos los que ayudaron en el Smorgasbord el fin de semana pasado!!! El próximo sábado tendremos nuestro Retiro Temático en el gimnasio de la escuela para todos los jóvenes del 7º grado- 12º grado de nuestra parroquia. Para más información favor de llamar a Luis Caldera al número (915) 346-9077 antes del 15 de febrero para inscripciones tempranas. Usted también se puede registrar en la puerta el día del retiro. El Miércoles de Ceniza no habrá clases de I.T, pero se recomienda que todos los adolescentes asistan al servicio de Miércoles de Ceniza que habrá a las 7:00 pm.

### NOTICIAS DE LA GUARDERÍA

A la guardería le está yendo muy bien. Estamos llenos en casi todos los salones excepto en cuidado de niños después de la escuela. Si usted necesita que le cuiden a sus niños después de la escuela o solo quiere venir a tomar un tour por favor llame a Gail al 353-7043.

### CAMBIO DE HORARIO DE LAS MISAS DE LA SEMANA DURANTE LA CUARESMA

Empezando el martes 24 de febrero la Misa será cambiada a las 12:15 del mediodía y tendremos 2 misas el día miércoles a las 8:15 am y a 6:30 pm.

### CELEBREMOS EL SACRAMENTO DE LA RECONCILIACIÓN

Todos los martes durante la Cuaresma los Sacerdotes del Decanato Central estarán escuchando confesiones en una de las parroquias designadas de 7:00 pm- 9:00 pm. Empezaremos en San José que tendrá Servicio de Reconciliación el día martes 24 de febrero de 7:00 pm-9:00 pm. Ven y experimenta el amor sanador de Cristo. Martes por la tarde de 7-9 PM, 3/3- Iglesia de San Jacinto, 3/10- Iglesia de Santo Tomás, 3/17- Iglesia del Santísimo Sacramento, 3/24- Iglesia de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Servicio penitencial para todo el decanato y la ciudad, Jueves a las 7:00 PM 3/26- Catedral de Santa María.

### REGULACIONES DE CUARESMA

**Miércoles de Ceniza y Viernes Santo son días obligatorios de ayuno y abstinencia para los Católicos**

**AYUNO:** Una comida completa diaria es permitida. Dos comidas pequeñas también se pueden comer, pero las dos juntas no deben completar una comida completa. Deben de ayunar todas las personas de los 18 hasta los 59 años de edad.

**ABSTINENCIA:** No comer carne el Miércoles de Ceniza y durante todos los viernes durante la Cuaresma para todas las personas desde los 14 años de edad.

# Mass Intentions

Readings for the Week of February 15th, 2015  
Lecturas para la Semana del día 15 de Febrero de 2015

### Sunday/Domingo:

8:00 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.  
1:00 p.m.  
6:00 p.m.

Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/1 Cor 10:31--11:1/Mk 1:40-45

†Rita Artho *by Jeanette Herring*  
†Vinko Kalfic-Franjkic *by Wife & Children*  
†Marion Keller *by Angi S.*  
Parish Intentions

### Monday/Lunes:

Gn 4:1-15, 25/Mk 8:11-13  
**No Mass**

### Tuesday/Martes:

6:30 p.m.

Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Mk 8:14-21

†George Huber *by Jeanette Herring*

### Wednesday/Miércoles:

8:15 a.m.  
7:00 p.m.

Jl 2:12-18/2 Cor 5:20--6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Mass  
Mass-Bilingual (English/Spanish)



Miércoles de Ceniza

### Thursday/Jueves:

8:15 a.m.

Dt 30:15-20/Lk 9:22-25

†Kelly Stringer *by Jeanette Herring*

### Friday/Viernes:

8:15 a.m.

Is 58:1-9a/Mt 9:14-15

†Marion Keller *by Jeanette Herring*

### Saturday/Sábado:

5:00 p.m.

Is 58:9b-14/Lk 5:27-32

St. Joseph's Altar Society *by Luz Cárdenas*

**Next Sunday/Próximo Domingo: Gn 9:8-15/1 Pt 3:18-22/Mk 1:12-15**

### ADORATION CHAPEL

#### The Lord Needs Your Company!!!

Your commitment to fill the following hours (even on a temporary basis) would be greatly appreciated, in order to relieve the few who have kept these hours covered at great sacrifice. Please call the coordinator if you can help with day or night time hours.

#### Adoration Needs:

**Monday 12:00 noon & 3:00 p.m.**  
**Tuesday 11:00 a.m.**



**Wednesday 12:00 noon & 10:00 p.m.**  
**Thursday 6:00 a.m., 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.**  
**Friday 7:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.**  
**Saturday 2:00 p.m.**

He seeks your company and love.

**Could you not watch one hour with**

**Me? (Mt. 26:40)**

If you cannot make your hour of Adoration please call:  
Pam Marsh-Coordinator at 654-4397

### Please Pray for our Soldiers

Blase Musick, Jacob Tumbleson, Anthony J. Martello,  
John Aaron Peña, Chris Romo, Phillip Romo



### Please Pray for our Sick

Rod Green, Theresa Manno, Sylvia Gleason,  
Rosina Newhouse, Charles Handley, Sue Martinez, Howard Birkenfeld, Julian Biggers, Anthony & John Newhouse, Lydia Castillo, Carl Ault, G.G. League, Edward Martinez, Bob Gallagher, Nina Morganti, Carmen Oviedo, Grisel Morales, Jose Ortiz, Gary Bellinghausen, Jenny C., Chase Sprigen, Christian Morales, M.L.Vigil, Margaret Bynumó, Linda King, Cecilia Gleason, Luca Buga, Willie Faye Huseman, Calista Huber, Carmen Ramos, Sam Quintana, Patricia Eagle, Mary Rose Edgar, Lola Wooten, Lynell Alison, Dale Hoover, Danita Vigil, Junior Manibog, Evangelina Madrigal, Evelyn Mulá, Carol Saldaña, Carla Wilson, Doris Larson, Tony Peña, Louis Raef, Ezequiel Rodriguez, Jessica Trujillo, Carolina Ortega, Steven Bellinghausen, April and Colt Jenkins







## Diocesan News



### HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC ACADEMY

**The Holy Cross Catholic Academy** Speech and Debate team won a sweepstakes trophy at the Tascosa High School tournament for the 3rd year in a row! Junior Ben Fullerton won the Ann Shofner Outstanding Speaker award. He also won 1st place in LD debate, 1st place in impromptu speaking, 3rd place in domestic extemp, and was a semifinalist in original oratory. Junior Jose Villafuerte won 3rd place in LD debate, 3rd place in impromptu speaking, and 5th place in domestic extemp. Senior Sandra Salgado won 6th place in prose interp and 7th place in impromptu speaking. Freshman William Pena won 7th place in domestic extemp. **Hooray for the Mustangs!**

### 8TH ANNUAL WOMEN'S RETREAT

Monday, February 16th is the deadline for the 8th annual Women's Retreat, sponsored by St. Thomas the Apostle Church. This year's retreat is scheduled for Saturday, February 21st, beginning at 8:15 a.m. in the Monsignor Tash Hall at the church, 4100 S. Coulter. Laura B. Nelson will serve as keynote speaker. In addition to writing her own blog, [www.GreenforGod.blogspot.com](http://www.GreenforGod.blogspot.com), she is a contributor to the website [CatholicMom.com](http://CatholicMom.com) and a writer for Faith Catholic Publishing in their homily and commentary division. Laura will present two talks: Women of Wonder and Harvesting a Fruitful Lent. Cost of the retreat is \$25 per person, this includes donuts and coffee during check-in and a catered lunch. Interested women can download a registration form from [www.stthomasamarillo.org](http://www.stthomasamarillo.org), or can contact Madonna Hogue at 681-9344 or via email at [madonnabh@suddenlink.net](mailto:madonnabh@suddenlink.net).

### WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES PILGRIMAGE

This begins on Tuesday, September 22 to Monday September 28th, in Philadelphia, PA. Pilgrimage to participate in the World Meeting of Families, Papal Visit and Mass. Package per person \$1,820, includes airfare from Amarillo International Airport, WMF Conference Registration Fee, 6 nights hotel, breakfast daily, 2 dinners at Restaurants in Philadelphia area, Luxury Motor Coach Transportation, and sightseeing in Historic Philadelphia as well as visits to the various shrines. For questions or registration information call (806)383-2243 ext. 129. To reserve your spot with Canterbury Package call 800-653-0017 or email at [Canterbury.tour@live.com](mailto:Canterbury.tour@live.com).

### 57TH GERMAN SAUSAGE DINNER ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday, March 8th, 11:00 am to 3:00 pm. Adult Meat tickets are \$13, children's tickets are \$6, and kids six and under eat free. Take-out meals will also be available for \$13. St. Francis Parish Hall, (10 miles east of Amarillo off Hwy. 60-1 mile east of Tyson)

### Save the Date

**Respect Life Banquet March 22-** "Love is our Mission the Family FULLY Alive", RLM is celebrating 18 years of Life & Love ministries in our diocese. Join us for this Good Ol' Texas Family Reunion. For Tickets or more Info (806)383-2243 Ext 129



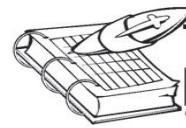
**JANUARY MASS ATTENDANCE AVERAGE**  
5:00 PM-111 8:00 AM-69 11:00-218 1:00 PM-215

**DECEMBER MASS ATTENDANCE AVERAGE**  
5:00 PM-150 8:00 AM-87 11:00 AM-207 1:00 PM-193  
(CHRISTMAS EVE: 5:00 PM-218, MIDNIGHT-251  
CHRISTMAS DAY: 11:00AM-130, 1:00 PM-108  
NEW YEAR'S EVE: 5:00 PM-103)

### Weekly Collection Report:

#### Informe Semanal de la Colecta

Projected—Proyectado	\$7,500.00
Collection—Colecta 2/7 & 2/8	\$9,005.35
Over/Under—Más/Menos	\$1,505.35
Children's Collection—C. de los niños	\$149.85



## The Week Ahead La Semana Próxima

**February 15th to 21st, 2015**

**Del día 8 al día 14 de Febrero, 2015**

**Sunday:** *Second Collection-Campaign for the Homeless*

- 8:00 a.m. Mass-English
- 9:15 a.m. Scripture Study (OLS)
- 11:00 a.m. Mass-English-Youth Mass
- 1:00 p.m. Mass-Spanish
- 2:30 p.m. Junta de Parejas (HFR)
- 6:00 p.m. Communion Service-Sudanese

**Monday:**

### President's Day

*No Mass*

- 6:00 p.m. Amarillo Rejoicers (HFR)

**Tuesday:**

- 6:30 p.m. Mass-English and  
1st Confession for First Communion Candidates

**Wednesday:**

### Ash Wednesday

#### St. Joseph School- 1/2 day

- 8:15 a.m. Mass
- 12:30 p.m. Teacher's Retreat
- 7:00 p.m. Mass-Bilingual (English/Spanish)



**Thursday:**

- 8:15 a.m. Mass
- 5:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (Church)
- 7:00 p.m. Confirmation Class for Adults  
Spanish-(HFR)
- 7:00 p.m. The Joy of the Gospel-  
1713 S. Tyler-Home of Carol Saldaña
- 7:00 p.m. Day Care Board Meeting (OLG)

**Friday:**

- 8:15 a.m. Mass
- 6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross-English
- 7:30 p.m. Via Crucis (Spanish)

**Saturday:**

- 9:00 a.m. Youth Diocesan Thematic Retreat  
(Gym)
- 3:40 p.m. Confessions
- 5:00 p.m. Mass -English

**February  
Month of  
The Holy  
Family**



### February 21st & 22nd, 2015

#### Altar Servers:

- 5:00 p.m. Landon Saiz, Ben Fullerton, C.J. Hernandez
- 8:00 a.m. Emma Piña, Victoria Piña-Smith, Anthony Hernandez
- 11:00 a.m. Youth Mass
- 1:00 p.m. Gabriel Gonzalez, Isaac Gonzalez, Yamilex Ramirez

#### Communion Ministers:

- 5:00 p.m. Connie Balderaz, Gail Saiz, Carrie Burton, Billy Thoreson  
Anna Thoreson
- 8:00 a.m. David Oberbrockling, Mary Portillo
- 11:00 a.m. Isabelo Irlas, Eva Mendez, Efrain Medrano, Edna Medrano  
Ray Barbosa
- 1:00 p.m. David Saucedo, Silvia Saucedo, José Piña, Adelina Piña,  
Carmen Saucedo

#### Lectors:

- 5:00 p.m. Evelyn Mula
- 8:00 a.m. Kim Huseman
- 11:00 a.m. Annabel Hromas
- 1:00 p.m. Luz Cárdenas

#### Ushers:

- Leo Leners
- Roger Berni
- Pat Kennedy
- Lupe Santos