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MASS SCHEDULE

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. — 2:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)
Saturday 3:40 PM - 4:30 PM or by appointment
Sacrament of Baptism and Matrimony
Contact the Parish Office
Quinceañeras
Contact the Parish Office

Impacting Teens
Third Sunday of the month

Saint Joseph Catholic Church

AUGUST 21, 2016

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
VIGÉSIMO PRIMER DOMINGO DE TIEMPO ORDINARIO

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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SUMMER OFFICE HOURS
Monday—Thursday 8:30am—3:30pm
Closed on Fridays
Lunch 12:00pm-1:00pm

CAMPUS OFFICES
St. Joseph Elementary School 806-359-1604
St. 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.

Jesus passed through towns and villages, teaching as he went and making his way to Jerusalem. Someone asked him, 'Lord, will only a few people be saved?' He answered them, Strive to enter through the narrow gate." Lk 13:22-24a

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

State fairs are famous for their many contests. The best cow, the best pig, the best sheep are hailed as "Grand Champions." The best cake, the best raspberry jam, the finest pickles, and the most delectable pie are awarded blue ribbons. Cheese and butter, honey and maple syrup, fruits and vegetables, agricultural products of all kinds win prizes of distinction based on criteria for their category. Handcrafted items are also entered into competition, and ribbons won displayed on the home mantle. While almost anyone can enter one of these contests, there is only one blue ribbon, only one grand champion. In Sunday's Gospel we hear Jesus respond to a question posed to him about the number who will be saved. One of the tenets of our faith concerns the universal salvific will of God, that is, God wants everyone to be saved. But God has also given humankind free will, meaning that people have a choice in accepting God's invitation to salvation. For those of us who are believers, it can be difficult to comprehend that someone would not want to enjoy eternal life. But that is a choice that God offers, and the Gospel this Sunday reinforces the idea that being saved is more than just a casual acquaintance with Jesus. Like a competition at the state fair, there are criteria for entering the kingdom of God. They are not mysterious. There is not some secret code that we need to know. What is needed is clearly spelled out just like the rules for entering a pie or jar of canned peaches. We need to love God. We need to listen to his word. We need to be compassionate toward others. We need to love our neighbor. The difference between these criteria and entering a state fair contest is that there is always more than one grand champion in the Christian life. Everyone who follows faithfully gets a blue ribbon.

St. Joseph Church Calendar

The Week Ahead
La Semana Próxima

Mass Intentions
Intenciones de la Misa

August 20, 2016	**Saturday/Sábado:**	**Ez 43:1-7a/Mt 23:1-12**	
	9:00a.m.	Altar Society's Board Meeting (SNR)	
	3:40p.m.	Confessions	
		2nd Collection-Native & African Americans	
	5:00p.m.	**Mass-English**	*+Ivana*.....By Mom
	6:30p.m.	Wedding	
August 21, 2016	**Sunday/Domingo:**	**Is 66:18-21/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/Lk 13:22-30**	
		Altar Society's Donuts and Baby Baskets (GA)	
		2nd Collection-Native & African Americans	
	8:00a.m.	**Mass-English**	*†Matilda Anderle*.....By Monica Musick
	9:15a.m.	Scripture Study:"Catholicism" (HFR)	
	11:00a.m	**Mass-English-Baptism**	Parish Intentions
	1:00p.m.	**Mass- Spanish-Baptism**	Jose Luis Casillas "Happy Birthday".....By Family
	6:00p.m.	**Mass-Sudanese**	
August 22, 2016	**Monday/Lunes:**	**2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12/Mt 23:13-22**	
		No Mass	
	6:00p.m.	Amarillo Rejoicers (HFR)	
	7:00p.m.	Leadership Youth Group (SNR)	
August 23, 2016	**Tuesday/Martes:**	**2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17/Mt 23:23-26**	
	6:30p.m.	**Mass**	*†Tony Joseph Costello*.....By Catherine Riley
August 24, 2016	**Wednesday/Miércoles:**	**Rv 21:9b-14/Jn 1:45-51**	
	8:15a.m.	**Mass**	*Andrea Snead*.....By Angi Seidenberger
	9:00a.m.	Golden Faith Seekers (HFR)	
August 25, 2016	**Thursday/Jueves:**	**1 Cor 1:1-9/Mt 24:42-51**	
	8:15a.m.	**Mass**	Gerardo Cárdenas "Happy Birthday".....By Family
August 26, 2016	**Friday/Viernes**	**1 Cor 1:17-25/Mt 25:1-13**	
	8:15a.m.	**Mass**	*†Sharon Oberbrockling*.....By David Oberbrockling
August 28, 2016	***Next Sunday:***	**Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14**	

Eucharistic Adoration

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:

Tuesday 11:00a.m., 12:00 noon,
Wednesday 5:00a.m. 12:00 noon
Thursday 8:00a.m., 10:00a.m.12:00 noon, 6:00p.m.
Friday 7:00a.m., 10:00a.m., 2:00p.m.
Saturday 6:00a.m., 9:00a.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 or text: **Pam Marsh-Coordinator at 654-4397**

PARISH NEWS- NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA

St. Joseph School News

St. Joseph's Elementary School fall carnival is October 1, 2016 Students will be selling raffle tickets after all masses this weekend. Prizes include a whole processed beef and deep freeze, a grill/smoker, an iPad mini and other great prizes. Thank you for supporting St. Joseph's School with this major school fundraiser.

Children's Faith Formation

Faith Formation Registrations will begin the weekend of August 28th and continue on Sept. 4th, Sept. 11th and Sept. 18th after the 11am and 1pm Masses. Cost per child is $25 up to $100 for more than four children per family. Children planning on receiving the Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation will be asked to bring their Baptism certificates at the time of registration. Classes are to begin on Sept. 28th will continue to be held on Wednesdays from 7-8:30pm. For more information contact Lisa Alvarez at 806-382-0311or Lucila Flores at 806-584-8285.

Impacting Teens

We are still seeking catechists for the year of Faith Formation. Please contact Alex Miller at 806-683-2540 for further information.

"Catholicism"

A presentation by Bishop Robert Baron

A 10-week class will begin on July 10, 2016 and continue through September 11, 2016. We will be studying "Catholicism" a presentation by Bishop Robert Baron. We will meet in the Holy Family Room from 9:15 am until 10:30 am each Sunday morning. Everyone is welcome. If you have any questions, please contact Denice Haley at 681-4161.

Noticias de la Escuela de San José

El Carnaval de otoño de la escuela primaria de San José es el 1ro de octubre. Los estudiantes estarán vendiendo boletos de rifa después de las Misas este fin de semana. Premios incluyen un procesador de carne con congelación profunda, un asador/ahumador, un iPad mini y otros grandes premios. Gracias por apoyar la escuela de San José con esta recaudación de fondos más importante de la escuela.

Formación en la Fe para Niños

Registros para la Formación de Fe comenzarán el fin de semana del 28 de agosto y continuaran el 4 de septiembre, 11 de septiembre y el 18 de septiembre después de las Misas de 11:00 y 1:00. Costo por niño es de $25 hasta $100 por más de cuatro niños por familia. Quienes recibirán los sacramentos de primera comunión y confirmación se les pide traer sus certificados de bautismo en el momento de la inscripción. Las clases comienzan el 28 de septiembre y se realizarán los miércoles de 7-8:30pm. Para más información contactar a Lisa Alvarez al 806-382-0311 o Lucila Flores al 806-584-8285.

Impacting Teens

Ahún estamos buscando catequistas para el año de la Formación de Fe. Por favor, póngase en contacto con Alex Miller al 806-683-2540 para mas información.

"Catolicismo"

una presentación del Obispo Robert Baron

El 10 de julio iniciaremos una serie de clases con duración de 10 semanas que terminarán el 11 de septiembre de 2016. Estaremos estudiando "Catolicismo", una presentación del Obispo Robert Baron. Nos reuniremos de 9:15 a.m. a 10:30 a.m. cada domingo en el Salón de la Sagrada Familia. Todos son bienvenidos. Si usted tiene alguna pregunta favor de comunicarse con Denice Haley al 681-4161.

Diocesan News

Holy Cross Catholic Academy welcomed back students on 08/17/16. We are looking forward to a great year with our families and want to remind you that it is NEVER too late to invest in Catholic education.
Holy Cross, where faith and knowledge meet!

Capuchin Spiritual Alliance

Our annual fundraiser dinner will be held Saturday, August 27, 2016 at the Capuchin Monastary located at 4201 N.E. 18th. Cost is $20 per person and $12 per chilc under 10 years of age. Join us for Mass at 6:00pm in St. Lucien's Chapel followed by dinner on the patio. Plase come and meet the wonderful nuns and our new board meembers. Board of Directors: Mother Anna Marie, Abbess Garcia, Sister Teresa Cortez, Mary Anne Engler, Sharon Escoto, Toni Hamula, Nancy Koons, Cris Parra (President), Nelly Pina, Madeline Ryberg, Eileen Tinajero, Jacque Urbanczyk and Mary Louise Vigil.

Evening of Prayer and Fellowship

Franciscan Sisters of Mary Immaculate and the Franciscan Association of Mercy invite you to an evening of prayer and fellowship, Saturday, September 10th at 6:00pm in the Community Room at St. Francis Convent, 4301 NE 18th Ave. in Amarillo. Please come to the Eastern-most double glass doors. Please bring a covered dish with enough food for twelve people. Paper goods and drinks will be provided.

Be a Witness

The Lord once called fisherman, tax collectors, shepherds, and Samaritans. Today, Jesus calls secretaries, carpenters, engineers, nurses, retirees AND YOU! Learn to be a more effective witness to the Catholic Faith. Fr. Jeff Kirby will be presenting "Be a Witness" at St. Hyacinth Parish Hall on Saturday, August 27 from 9:00am-3:00pm. No charge, lunch provided and GRACE GUARANTEED! Please call St. Hyacinth Church to reserve your seat at 806-358-1351.

A.C.T.S.

Come help us Celebrate 15 years of ACTS in AMARILLO and THANK Monsignor Waldow for bringing this amazing retreat to our area!

This fundraiser is our once a year event to keep the cost of retreats from going up. Tickets are $150 for an evening of dinner & dancing for 2. Event date: August 27, 2016 at the Cornerstone Ranch in Bushland, Texas

Tickets can be purchased online at:
http://www.actsamarillo.org/2016-celebrate-fundraiser or from Betty Aragon at the Catholic Student Center in Canyon or call Stacy Wilhelm at (806) 622-2114
or Kent Hoelting at (806) 679-1725

Please Pray for our Soldiers

Blase Musick, Jacob Tumbleson, Anthony J. Martello, Marc Begay, John Aaron Peña, Chris Romo, Phillip Romo, Robert Gavino Cavazos, Raymond Johnson III, Sam Jacquez, Ezekiel J. Rodriguez, Gloria A. Najera, Daniel W. Tucker

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 Gallager, Nina Morganti, Carmen Oviedo, Grisel Morales, Jose Ortiz , Gary Bellinghausen, Jenny C., Chase Sprigen, Christian Morales, M.L.Vigil, Margaret Bynumó, Cecilia Gleason, Luca Buga, Willie Faye Huseman, Calista Huber, Carmen Ramos, Patricia Eagle, Lola Wooten, Lynell Alison, Dale Hoover, Danita Vigil, Junior Manibog, Evangelina Madrigal, Evelyn Mulá, Carol Saldaña, Carla Wilson, Tony Peña, Ezequiel Rodriquez, Carolina Ortega, Steven Bellinghausen, April and Colt Jenkins, Gigi Eagle, Leo Leners, Jackie Parker, Hildegard M. Turks, Jerrico and Adrian Fjetland, Cole and Stefanie Fjetland, Kema Mitchener, Teresa Peña, Raul Rey, Evangelina Lucero, Lidia Lichtiem Yolanda Hernandez, Danny Martinez, Amelia Bellar, Deacon Leo Ramos, Diana Delgado, Juan Reyes, Paula Quintanilla and Carmelo P. Palermo, Kenia Magallanes, Jessica Trujillo, Deacon Daniel Romo, Elena Romo, Marc Begay, Anthony Castillo, Andres and Adrien Aguilar, Mark Hernandez, Isabella F. Rodriguez Alice Perry, Alfredo Medrano and For the Whole Community

July Mass Attendance Average
5:00 PM– 136 8:00 AM– 68 11:00 AM– 205 1:00 PM– 217
June Mass Attendance Average
5:00 PM–102 8:00 AM–77 11:00 AM–218 1:00 PM– 201

Weekly Collection Report:
Informe Semanal de la Colecta

Projected-Proyectado	**$7,500.00**
Collection-Colecta: Augus 6-7, 2016	**$6,515.09**
Over/Under-Más/Menos	**-$984.91**
Children's Collection-C. de los niños	**$85.40**

Church Ministries

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Jose & Erica Castañeda
Saint Luke's Ministry & Homebound

Youth Ministry

Lisa Alvarez and Lucila Flores
Children's Faith Formation

Steve and Alejandra Miller/
Laurie Godinez and Ruth Carrillo
Impacting Teens

Music Ministry

Sharon Burkett
5:00 pm Saturday Mass & 8:00 am Sunday Mass
Pat Carathers & Alvin Garcia
11:00 am Sunday Mass
Carlos Gomez & Modesto Mendez
1:00 pm Sunday Mass

Campus Ministries

Josie Herrera
School Board President
April Fetterman
Parent Teachers Organization President

Mass Servers

August 27-28, 2016

Altar Servers

5:00p.m. Chloe Balderaz, C.J. Hernandez, Landon Saiz
8:00a.m. Anthony Hernandez, Victoria Pina-Smith
11:00a.m. Alessa Medrano, Devon Salinas, Aundre Salinas
1:00p.m. Gabriel Gonzalez, Iseec Gonzalez

Communion Ministers

5:00p.m. Connie Balderaz, Elaine Clarke, Dimna Duran, Jeanette Herring, Gail Saiz
8:00a.m. Barbara Renteria, Richard Renteria
11:00a.m. Arturo Perez, Brandon Perez, Michael Rosales, Miechele Ronquillo, Lori Page
1:00p.m. David Saucedo, José Piña, Adelina Piña, Rufino Chinchilla, Carmen Saucedo

	Lectors	Ushers
5:00p.m.	Evelyn Mula	
8:00a.m.	Mary Huseman	Roger Bernt
11:00a.m.	Steven Castillo	Pat Kennedy
1:00p.m.	Lupita Alvarez	*Bernal-Navarrete