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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

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



OCTOBER 8, 2017

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

VIGÉSIMO SEPTIMO 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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Bulletin Deadline: Thursday at noon

OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Friday 8:30am—3:30pm

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 (1-5)

and Youth Faith Formation (6-12)

Wednesdays: 7:00 p.m.- 8:30 p.m.

"But when the tenants saw the son, they said to one another, 'This is the heir. Come, let us kill him and acquire his inheritance.' They seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. What will the owner of the vineyard do to those tenants when he comes?" - Mt 21:38-40



27TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

"Come, let us kill him and acquire his inheritance." The tenants in today's parable murdered because of their greed. They had no respect for either the servants or the son of their landlord. Motivated only by their desire to own the property they cultivated, they did whatever was necessary to further their cause. But they were fools. They only thing they inherited was a death sentence in return for their wickedness.

Greed can act like poison to an otherwise healthy mind. Instead of allowing one to think clearly, an obsession with having "more" can cloud a person's judgment. Certainly it won't always lead to murder, but more often than not it leads to using people for our own ends or dismissing those who cannot help us get what we want. Treating others this way is never acceptable. It is an offense to human dignity and to God who made us in his own image. Greed can also have a blinding influence, preventing us from seeing the blessings that surround us. When our focus is on what we want instead of what we have, the tendency is to forget that we have anything at all. The only thing we can see is that which we don't yet possess. Ultimately, greed makes us miserable. It fosters discontent for our life and disrespect for the lives of others. It is certainly not a fruit of the kingdom of God. Belonging to this heavenly realm means living a life of generosity instead of greediness. It means looking for ways to share what we have to improve the lives of others instead of hoarding more to "improve" our own lives. Jesus tells us that his kingdom belongs to those who produce its fruit. May we root out the weed of greed and instead cultivate generosity in the vineyard of our hearts.

St. Joseph Church Calendar



October 7, 2017	Saturday/Sábado:	Bar 4:5-12, 27-29/Ps 69:33-37/Lk 10:17-24	
	9:00a.m.	Confirmation Retreat	
	2:00p.m.	Sudanese Meeting by Bohl- (HFR)	
	3:40p.m.	Confession	
	5:00p.m.	Mass	†Sister Viola Baca...By Franciscan Sisters
October 8, 2017	Sunday/Domingo:	Is 5:1-7/Ps 80:9, 12-16, 19-20/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43	
	8:00a.m.	Mass-English	Angela Davidson.....By the Wrights
	8:30a.m.	Bible Study (HFR)	"Happy Birthday"
	9:00a.m.	RCIA Classes by Lupita (OLS)	
	11:00a.m.	Mass-English	Parish Intentions
	1:00p.m.	Mass- Spanish	Yaneli Hernand..ez.....By Mom & Sisters
	2:00p.m.	Caballeros de Colon (OLS)	"Happy Birthday"
	6:00p.m.	Mass- Sudanese	
October 9, 2017	Monday/Lunes:	Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Jon 2:3-5, 8/Lk 10:25-37	
October 10, 2017	Tuesday Martes:	Jon 3:1-10/Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8/Lk 10:38-42	
	2:00p.m.	The Marian Movement of Priest	
	6:30p.m.	Mass	Marcello Hernandez "Happy Birthday"
October 11, 2017	Wed./Miércoles:	Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-6, 9-10/Lk 11:1-4	
	8:15a.m.	Mass	
	9:00a.m.	Golden Faith Seekers (HFR)	
	6:45p.m.	RCIA (OLG)	
	7:00p.m.	Faith Formation (St. Joseph School)	
October 12, 2017	Thursday/Jueves:	Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 11:5-13	
	8:15a.m.	Mass	†Gene Schnucker.....By Family
	7:00p.m.	Couple Prayer Series (HFR)	
October 13, 2017	Friday/Viernes:	Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3, 6, 8-9, 16/Lk 11:15-26	
	7:00p.m.	Confirmation Mass by Bishop Zurick (St. Joseph Parish)	
October 15, 2017	Next Sunday:	Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Lk 11:27-28	



Central Deanery Adoration Chapel
St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church
4100 S. Coulter



ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL



The 2017 Fall Carnival is this weekend! Games will run from Noon- 5pm. Costume Contest at 5pm. Live Auction at 6pm and Silent Auction all day, food, drinks and fun! Raffle tickets available \$5 each or 5 for \$20.

To purchase raffle tickets please contact a student or the school office. For more information or to become a sponsor call the office at 806-359-1604 or Amy Ottmers at 806-418-3750.

ESCUELA DE SAN JOSÉ

El Carnaval 2017 de otoño es este fin de semana. Juegos serán del mediodía-5pm. Concurso de disfraces a las 5:00p. Subasta en vivo a las 6pm y una subasta silenciosa todo el día, alimentos, bebidas y diversión! Los boletos de rifa estarán disponibles en las entradas a \$5 o 5 por \$20. Para la compra de boletos de rifa pueden contactar a un estudiante o la oficina de la escuela. Para más información a para ser sponsor puede llamar a la oficina al 806-359-1604 o a Amy Ottmers al 806-418-3750.



Diocesan News

HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC ACADEMY



Congratulations to the Holy Cross Catholic Academy students who participated in the Tascosa Speech and Debate tournament on 09/26/2017. Senior, William Pena placed first in International Extemporaneous Speaking; Junior, Anthony Innocenti placed 7th in Congressional Debate. HCCA placed 8th out of 15 schools overall. **WAY TO GO MUSTANGS!**

THE BEAUTY OF HUMAN SEXUALITY

Come and take some time to reflect, to seek, to know and begin to understand the beauty of who you really are! "BOHS" at the CSC starts soon! See you there! Every Monday from September 11- December 11 from 6:30-8:00 at the CSC 2610 4th Avenue Canyon, Texas. For all young adults. For more information call Stephanie Frausto at (806) 414-1059.

BISHOP DEFALCO JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Part-Time Kitchen Staff: We are hiring energetic kitchen staff to assist with prep work, dish washing, and cleaning. Work schedule is dependent on Retreat Center schedule of events. Previous experience in a fast paced kitchen is preferred but not required. **Part-Time Hospitality Staff:** The Hospitality Minister position is a part-time position, and the shifts are evenings and weekends based on our facility calendar of events. Our hospitality ministers are responsible for greeting and checking in guests, assisting in light housekeeping duties during their shifts, and securing the building at the end of their shift to assure the safety and security of staff and guests. Must enjoy working with people! Should possess basic computer skills, and be able to lift 20 pounds. Apply online at www.brdc.org/job-openings

FAMILY LIFE

Want MORE?? October is Respect Life Month, let us respect our own life enough to change for the better!! "Find us ready Lord." There's still time to get in on all that God has placed at your feet... Take a Look www.amarillodiocese.org/life

Save the Date

Saturday, October 14th at Noon will be the 5th Annual St. Thomas "America Needs Fatima" Rosary Rally at 4100 S. Coulter in the church. Red, white and blue rosaries made by Our Lady's Rosary Makers of St. Thomas will be handed out along with Holy Cards of Our Lady of Fatima while they last. We'll also have Chaplets that you may have for a donation of \$5 each! The Choir, accompanied by Jim Gardner will sing. We'll have a procession with Knights of Columbus carrying a platform with a statue of Our Lady of Fatima followed by Children carrying roses for Our Blessed Mother! There will be Exposition of the Holy Eucharist! This is the 100th Anniversary of the appearance of Our Lady of the Rosary in Fatima! Please join us! You will make Our Blessed Mother happy and be blessed by Our Lord!



Please Pray for our Soldiers

Blase Musick, Jacob Tumbleson, Anthony J. Martello, John Aaron Peña, Chris Romo, Phillip Romo, Raymond Johnson III, Sam Jacquez, Ezekiel J. Rodriguez, Gloria A. Najera, Daniel W. Tucker, Tarin Cavazos, Eli Olgas, Jordan Rivera



Pray for our sick ...

Theresa Manno, Sylvia Gleason, Rosina Newhouse, Charles Handley, Sue Martinez, Howard Birkenfeld, Julian Biggers, Anthony & John Newhouse, Lydia Castillo, G.G. League, Edward Martinez, Nina Morganti, Grisel Morales, Jose Ortiz, Gary Bellinghausen, Jenny C., Chase Sprigen, Christian Morales, M.L. Vigil, Cecilia Gleason, Luca Buga, Willie Faye Huseman, Calista Huber, Carmen Ramos, Patricia Eagle, Lynell Alison, Dale Hoover, Danita Vigil, Junior Manibog, Evelyn Mulá, Carol Saldaña, Carla Wilson, Tony Peña, Ezequiel Rodriguez, 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, Alfredo Medrano, Maria Marcela Mora, Celi Rangel, Agustina Ojeda, Glenn Cooksey, Dr. Constanancio King, Marissa Jairo, Alice Guerrero, Alice Gutierrez, Margie Bryant and for the Whole Community

SEPTEMBER MASS ATTENDANCE AVERAGE

5:00 PM- 95 8:00 AM- 61 11:00 AM- 272 1:00 PM- 285

AUGUST MASS ATTENDANCE AVERAGE

5:00 PM- 112 8:00 AM- 71 11:00 AM- 210 1:00 PM- 267

Weekly Collection Report/ Informe Semanal de la Colecta

Projected-Proyectado-	\$7,500.00
Collection-Colecta: Sept. 30-Oct. 1, 2017	\$7,374.72
Over/Under-Más/Menos	-\$125.28
Children's Collection-C. de los niños	\$239.50

CHURCH MINISTRIES

Arturo Perez
Parish Council President
Sonia Higgins
Finance Council President
Monica Musick
Altar Society President
Denice Haley
Adult Faith Formation
Jose & Erica Castañeda
Saint Luke's Ministry & Homebound



Steve and Alejandra Miller
Impacting Teens



Sharon Burkett
5:00 pm Saturday Mass
8:00 am & 11:00am Sunday Masses

Carlos Gomez & Sister Hilda
1:00 pm Sunday Mass

CAMPUS MINISTRIES

Camille Graves
School Board President
April Fetterman
Parent Teachers Organization President

Mass Servers October 14-15, 2017

Altar Servers

5:00p.m. Audrey Portillo, Veronica Portillo
8:00a.m. Ashley Warren, Hunter Warren
11:00a.m. Jasmine Page, Aundre Salinas, Devon Salinas
1:00p.m. Ariana Arce, Jennifer Castaneda

Communion Ministers

5:00p.m.
8:00a.m. We will only need two ordinary
11:00a.m. Eucharistic Minister per Mass.
1:00p.m. Mario Lupercio, Adriana Lupercio, Miguel Lora, Erica Castaneda, *Rufino Chinchilla

	Lectors	Ushers
5:00p.m.	Evelyn Mula	
8:00a.m.	Pierce Seidenberger	Roger Bernt
11:00a.m.	1st- Michelle Webb	Pat Kennedy
	2nd- Annabel Hromas	
1:00p.m.	Adriana Zapata	*Bernal/Jacquez