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Clergy

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Stefani Wilhelm

Garet Rocha

Staff

Roman Asbill

Jose Vasquez

This Week at St. Ann's August 31 - September 6

(Any changes to this schedule will be announced via Flocknote)

Monday, August 31

Knights of Columbus Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 1

9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. Ladies Quilting Ministry

5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist

(For +Michael Walsh)

Wednesday, September 2

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

(For +Edward Wieck)

High School Discipleship Groups 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 3

5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist

(For +William Evans)

Friday, September 4

12:15 p.m. Holy Eucharist

(For +Fermin Vasquez, Jr.)

Saturday, September 5

3:45 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Confession 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist

(For +Michael Walsh)

Sunday, September 6

9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

(For the People of God))

11:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

(For +Pattye Hopkins)

Upcoming Events

September 8 **Building Assessment Committee**

September 10 **Pastoral Council**

Knights of Columbus Diocesan September 13

Meeting

PASTOR'S CORNER

The Diaconate Office of the Diocese of Amarillo doesn't waste much time. Very shortly after the ordination of thirteen new permanent deacons for service in our local Church, including our own newly minted Deacon Joe Roder, pastors have received packets with instructions on how to begin the process of uncovering new candidates to begin discernment for the next class. If you or someone you know is called to discernment (a more formal process of listening to the Holy Spirit's call and the Church's expectations for this ministry), please let me know or encourage someone to pray about it. A candidate for discernment must be at least 35 years old, a Catholic in good standing with a heart for ministry and, if married, have the full support and participation of their spouse.

Let us note and congratulate John & Bea Renteria, whose son was ordained to the permanent diaconate in our diocese several weeks ago. Assigned to his parish of St. Joseph in Amarillo, Deacon John Renteria is also the brother of Kristine Garcia of our parish. We thank them for being open to, praying for and affirming the call of Deacon John!

Our Finance Council has approved our budget for the current 2020-2021 fiscal year. A summary of the budget will be presented to you via the bulletin the next several weeks. Let me say, however, that your financial stewardship and sacrificial giving makes drawing up a budget less painful and scary. The Spirit has blessed so many of us with not only the means to give but with the willingness to respond to the Christian call to give in support of our parish and its ministries. Thank you. Thank you. And again, thank you!

Fr. Scott

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE - AUGUST 22-23:

Envelopes/Cash: \$6,863.00

Online Giving: \$5,528.50

Weekly Total: \$12,391.50 (Weekly Goal: \$10,000)

Month of August: \$48,104.17 (This Month's Goal: \$50,000)

Thank you for your generosity!

Parishioners can make weekly one time payments or automat-Envelopes can be ic payments at dropped off at the collections baskets at the entrance or exit in the Church, in the curbside mailbox in front of the Rectory, or be sent to the parish, P.O. Box 59, Canyon, TX 79015.

AROUND THE PARISH

High School Small Groups - Our high school discipleship groups will meet Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the parish hall.

Parents' Day Out - St. Ann's Parents' Day Out will begin next Wednesday, September 2. We are in the process of coming up with a procedure for a safe return. Those procedures will be handed out to the parents before PDO starts.



Faith Formation Registration will open online on our parish website, <u>stannsofcanyon.org</u>, on September 1. Paper forms will also be available for download on the parish website and at the glass table in the narthex. For questions please contact the DRE, Adrian Johnson or the Youth Director, Joshua Dutchover in the parish office.

"To fall in love with God is the greatest romance, to seek him the greatest adventure; to find him, the greatest human achievement."

-St. Augustine of Hippo



Many older adults experience concerns about falling and restrict their activities. A MATTER OF BALANCE is an award-winning program designed to manage falls and increase activity levels.

ST. ANNS CATHOLIC CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 10 - OCTOBER 29th

THURSDAYS 10:00 – 11:00 am or 1:30 – 2:30 pm

Classes are held once a week for 8 weeks for 1 hour each. Classes are limited to 6 per class Program is for 60+ adults, and FREE!

For more information or to sign-up contact

LAURIE FEATHERSTONE 806-557-4755







2020-2021

You should have received your 2020-2021 pledge card for the United Catholic Appeal in your mailbox. This takes the place of the usual in-pew pledge process of previous years. Please complete it and send it back in as soon as possible. Our UCA goal this year is around \$61,000. Our parish has been successful in recent years in meeting and paying our goal. We're not just St. Ann's but also an important part of the family of the Diocese of Amarillo. Thank you for your sacrificial giving!



Prayer for a Deceased Priest

O God, you raised your servant, Fr. Robert Busch, to the sacred priesthood of Jesus Christ, according to the Order of Melchisedech, giving him the sublime power to offer the Eternal Sacrifice, to bring the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ down upon the altar, and to absolve the sins of men in your own Holy Name. We beseech you to reward his faithfulness and to forget his faults, admitting him speedily into your Holy Presence, there to enjoy forever the recompense of his labours. This we ask through Jesus Christ your Son, our Lord.

Amen.