

ST. ANN'S

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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THIS WEEK AT ST. ANN'S FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 6

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

Monday, February 28

Tuesday, March 1

9:00 a.m. Ladies Quilting Ministry
5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist
(For †Marie Wieck)
6:00 p.m. Rosary
6:30 p.m. Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner

Wednesday, March 2 - Ash Wednesday

Pope Francis has called us to offer our prayer and fasting on Ash Wednesday for peace in Ukraine.

7:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
(For the People of God)
12:15 p.m. Distribution of Ashes Liturgy
6:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist
(For †M.M. Devassy)
No Youth Group

Thursday, March 3

5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist
(For †Annie Adams)

Friday, March 4

12:15 p.m. Holy Eucharist
(For †Catherine Huseman)

Saturday, March 5

Anointing of the Sick/Intercessory Prayer After Mass

3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Confessions
5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist
(For †Abe Hernandez)

Sunday, March 6

Anointing of the Sick/Intercessory Prayer After Masses

9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist: *Rite of Sending*
(For †Reggie Devassy)
No Faith Formation or RCIA Classes
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Czech Sausage Dinner
11:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
(For the People of God)

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 8 St. Martha's Circle Meeting
Lenten Holy Hour & Confessions
Capital Campaign Meeting
March 10 Choir Practice
March 11 Fish Fry
March 14 Circle of the Holy Spirit Meeting
March 15 Ladies Quilting Ministry
Lenten Holy Hour



Czech Sausage Dinner is Here!

This Week! What is a turkey dinner worth - or a Czech sausage meal, for that matter? A lot. This past week a few leaders of our Building Committee visited the three-year-old parish center at the Catholic parish in Dumas to get some ideas for our own building plans. As the Dumas pastor, Fr. Gabriel Garcia, showed us around, he kept mentioning how so much of the building was designed to accommodate their annual turkey dinner. When I asked how much money their dinner raises for their parish, I was surprised to learn that, like our own Czech sausage dinner, it doesn't really make an overwhelming amount of money. Yet, like our own efforts underway next weekend, it is an integral part of their parish culture and their opportunity to welcome members from throughout the community to come join them for an annual tradition. Its value is in bringing people together, and so is ours. Let's come together this week to continue the beautiful tradition of our annual Czech Sausage Dinner. We will have a chance to beat back the late winter blues, meet and get to know each other better, and make some needed monies in the process. Thank you to everyone who has already been focused on the meal and to all who are gearing up to work the next several days. Will our new building be similarly equipped to make the Czech Sausage Dinner a continued tradition at St. Ann's? Yes, indeed. It's worth such consideration!

T-Shirts Need You.

We had several folks approach us to help with airline miles as well as a donation to get some of our staff to professional development next month. We're still looking for those who would sponsor our Easter Triduum T-shirts with a donation of \$500 or more. We will print your logo and/or name on the T-shirts. We already have a beautiful design for the shirt. The only thing missing is your ad or name. Give us a holler at the parish office if you'd like to help.

Save a Stamp! In a few weeks we will reach out by mail to our parishioners who haven't yet made a pledge to our **Light on a Hill Capital Campaign**. You can save us a stamp, however, by completing your pledge card and turning it in at the pledge table in the church narthex or bringing it by the parish office as soon as possible. We need you. We're waiting for you so that we can take the next steps. Thank you!

Fr. Scott

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE - Feb. 12-13:

Cash/Checks: \$8,403.43

Online: \$5,862.50

Weekly Total: \$14,265.93

Campus Ministries: \$1,391.00

Thank you for your generosity



Listening Sessions at St. Ann's

February 27 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

April 3 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

QUESTIONS FOR TODAY'S LISTENING SESSION:

Listening

"Listening is the first step, but it requires an open mind and heart, without prejudice." (Preparatory Document no. 15)

- How is God speaking to us through the voices that are in our midst?
- How is God speaking to us through voices we sometimes ignore, including those on the peripheries?
- What space is there to listen to the voices on the peripheries, especially cultural groups, women, the disabled, those who experience poverty, marginalization, or social exclusion?

Speaking Out

"All are invited to speak with courage and parrhesia, that is, in freedom, truth, and charity." (Preparatory Document no. 30)

- What enables or hinders you from speaking up courageously, candidly, and responsibly in your parish society?
- What space is there in your parish for the voice of people including active and inactive members of our faith?

Sharing Responsibility For Our Common Mission and Sharing Authority and Participation

"Synodality is at the service of the mission of the Church, in which all members are called to participate. A Synodal church is a participatory and co-responsible Church." (Preparatory Document no. 30)

- How are the baptized members of your parish able to participate in the mission of the Church to proclaim the Gospel?
- What hinders people from being active in your parish?
- How is authority or governance exercised in your local parish?
- How are teamwork and co-responsibility put into practice in your local parish?

Blessings

TO OUR
NEWLY MARRIED!

Congratulations to

Caroline Britten & Trevor Dukes

who celebrated the Sacrament of Matrimony here at St. Ann's this weekend. May God bless your lives together as husband and wife!

CZECH SAUSAGE DINNER

Help Needed! **SUNDAY, MARCH 6** *Parish Fundraiser*
11:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

SIGN-UP SHEETS

This is your last weekend to sign up to volunteer to assist with preparing, serving, and cleaning up after the meal. Several sign-up sheets will be available in the narthex after all Masses. Please take a few moments to look at these and add your name to one or more of them. Thanks for your help!

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner

03.01.22 | 6 - 7:30 PM | ST. ANN'S PARISH HALL

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN PRAYER

Humble builder St. Joseph, who dared to believe that the impossible was possible, come with your intercessory power to our Light on a Hill vision for the future.

The example you set for us in caring for Mary and Jesus illumines our responsibility to care for your Church on earth.

We pray that what we plan and implement is good and pleasing to the Father and in accord with God's will.

We pray through Christ Jesus the Lord, whose grace has made His people the light of the world and a city set on a hill not to be hidden.

Amen.

Total Pledged Households: 239
We still have over 300 households that have yet to pledge

Total Seed Monies & Monies Pledged: \$3,181,277.13

Total Building Fund Balance (monies paid): \$1,622,345.61
Per diocesan policy, we must have over 50% of the cost of construction in the bank to begin building/renovating

Goal: \$8,000,000

Percentage of Goal Pledged: 39.07%

AROUND THE PARISH

Lenten Resource Table - Make sure to stop at the Lenten Resource Table in the church narthex on your way out of Mass to pick up materials for you and your family this Lenten season.

Parish Directory Make Up Photos - If you missed the opportunity to have your photograph taken for our new church directory, you can schedule an appointment at St. Mary's Cathedral and still receive your FREE 8x10 and St. Ann's directory! Just visit www.ucdir.com and enter the username: tx168 and password photos to sign up for a spot. Appointments are booking quickly, so don't wait! When you arrive, be sure to let them know you are from St. Ann's!

High School Seniors - If you are the parent of a graduating senior and would like your graduate recognized in the *West Texas Catholic* newspaper, please submit your graduate's name with the high school they attend TODAY, February 27. If you have any questions, please contact Joshua Dutchover at jdutchover@stannsofcanyon.org.

Steubenville Lone Star (8 - 12 grades) - All high school youth are invited to a Steubenville Conference trip this summer! The conference will take place June 23-26, in Irving, TX. The conference cost is \$400, including lodging, transportation, days at Group Dynamix, Six Flags, and meals during the 3-day conference. A \$50 deposit and registration form is due no later than March 9. Scholarships are given to youth who have been active through various activities at St. Ann's throughout the year. Forms can be found online and in the Youth Office. Please contact Joshua Dutchover for more information.

Twenty-Seventh Annual "Bach's" Lunch Series - The "Bach's" lunch series is (Bach) back by popular demand! Bring a "box" lunch and some friends with you. The Bach's Lunches are a wonderful time for Lenten reflection and good music among friends. Held at various churches on selected Fridays during Lent, each program will begin promptly at 12:05 p.m. with a twenty-five minute organ recital. Following the recital, if allowed, the host church will provide tea, coffee and a place to eat. You'll have plenty of time to get (Bach) back to work by 1:00 p.m. This event has been very well received for the last twenty-five years, so plan to attend the six recitals during the Twenty-Seventh Annual Bach's Lunch Series! The first Bach Lunch will take place on Friday, March 4, at St. Thomas Catholic Church, with the Organist being Mr. Jim Gardner. The "Bach's" Lunch series is sponsored by the Amarillo Chapter of the American Guild of Organist.

LENTEN SCHEDULE

2022

ASH WEDNESDAY

March 2

Holy Eucharist and the Signing with Ashes

7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Distribution of Ashes Service

12:15 p.m.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday: March 4 - April 18
6:00 p.m.
in the church

LENTEN HOLY HOUR

Every Tuesday
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
in the church

EXTENDED RECONCILIATION TIMES

Every Tuesday
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Saturdays
3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

MEATLESS MEALS

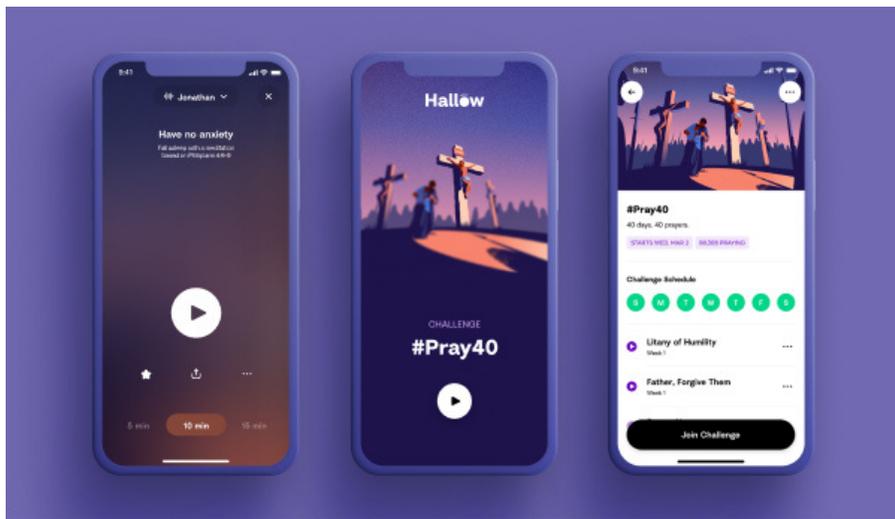
Fish Fry Fridays

Join us for our Lenten Fish Frys scheduled for March 11 and April 1 from 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. \$12 for adults, \$6 for children (ages 5-12). Children under 5 eat free!

Meatless Soup Friday

Join us on March 25 at 6:30 p.m. in the parish hall for a meatless soup meal. Please bring a soup and bread of your choice large enough to share. The parish will provide drinks, bowls, and utensils.





HALLOW PRAY #40

St. Ann's has partnered with Hallow this Lent to provide every parishioner FREE access to all of Hallow's prayer content - including the #Pray40 Challenge featuring daily Lenten meditations on Jesus' Last Seven Words from His Cross.

Hallow is the #1 Catholic app worldwide and includes over 3,000 audio-guided sessions designed to help you grow closer to God. Hallow Plus includes prayers in Spanish, prayers for kids and families, resources to help you learn about the faith, and more. You can download the app for FREE from this landing page: Hallow.com/holydaypackage.

LENTEN PARISH MISSION

Come Encounter God's love and the Transforming Power of the Holy Spirit!

Sunday, March 27 - Tuesday, March 29
7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.



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During this season of conversion, let us renew our faith, and receive with open hearts the love of God
- Pope Francis

DEANERY CONFESSIONS

St. Mary's Cathedral will host a Day of Reconciliation: Wednesday, March 9, from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Four priests will be available to hear Confessions from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and five to six priests will be available from 5:00 until 9:00 p.m.

