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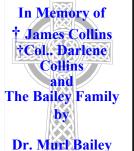
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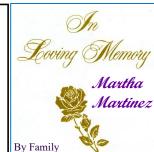
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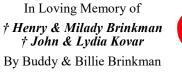
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Prayers for the living & deceased members of the Absnaider, Kacer, Knesek, Pieper, Hyzak & Rab families.



† Henry & Milady Brinkman † John & Lydia Kovar



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Thank you to the Military members and their families of our parish.

This week we ask that you pray for service member

Victor Amaya







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WE CELEBRATE THE EUCHARIST

Saturday, 5:00 pm Saturday, 6:30 pm (Spanish) Sunday, 10:00 am Wednesday, 8:00 am, Thursday & Friday, 12:00 Noon; (Weekday Mass times are subject to change; see Mass Intentions for date & time)

Reconciliation:

Saturday, 4:15 pm to 4:45 pm or by appointment

OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday - Friday 8:00 am to 3:00 pm

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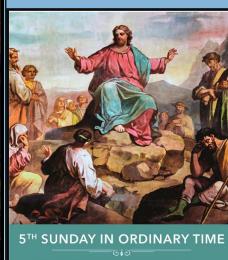
Contact the priest or deacon at least 6 months prior to the date of the wedding.

BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office for information concerning Baptism.



February 5, 2023



You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden." - Mt 5:14

THE MISSION OF ST. MARY — OUR LADY OF LOURDES **CALDWELL, TEXAS**

A PARISH OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH IN THE DIOCESE OF AUSTIN

WE, THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST. MARY, OUR LADY OF LOURDES IN CALDWELL, WILL CONTINUE TO PROCLAIM THE GOOD NEWS THAT JESUS CHRIST IS LORD. WE GO FORTH AS A SACRA-MENTAL PEOPLE TO SERVE THE FAMILY OF GOD, TO GROW IN OUR FAITH, AND TO PRAY AND WORK FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE.

WE DO THIS THROUGH:

ENCOURAGING PARTICIPATION IN STEWARDSHIP AND BY CALLING ALL PARISHIONERS TO SHARE THEIR TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE.

EMPHASIZING THE IMPORTANCE OF EDUCATING OUR CHILDREN IN THE IMPORTANCE OF OUR FAITH.

RESPECTING THE TEACHINGS OF THE CHURCH AND OUR CATHOLIC TRADITIONS.

CELEBRATING THE EUCHARIST THROUGH THE LITURGY AND THE SACRAMENTS.

Saturday, February 4 at 5:00 PM

For the People of the Parish

Saturday, February 4 at 6:30 PM Spanish Mass

† Eduardo y Gustaveo Torres

† Sabas Najera & Lucia Castillo

† Alonso Hernandes

Sunday, February 5 at 10:00 AM

- † Carolyn Urbanvsky
- † Obeta Martinez
- † Milton Mynar

No Mass Daily Mass: Wednesday, February 8th: Thursday, February 9th or Friday, February 10th as Fr. Melvin will be in San Antonio on Retreat.

Saturday, February 11 at 5:00 PM

- † Hattie Provazek
- † Helen & Vlasta Jurica
- † Celso Sanchez

Saturday, February 12 at 6:30 PM

Spanish Mass For the People

Sunday, February 13 at 10:00 AM

- † James Kacer
- † Anton Absnaider, Jr.
- † Glen & Amelia Wearden



Pray for our Troops Please Pray for our honored loved ones serving in the military & their families!

Victor Amaya Cameron Banks Brian Goss Mathew Hancock Stephen Hancock Cooper C. Hott-Jasper Phillip Jungman Dale Moore McKinley Edward Maurer Jarred Mitchell Adam Perry Shawn Earl Phallan Taylor Aline Stautzenberger Trevor Rathjen Delores Burkhalter-Tandoc Matthew Telg Jesse Tucker Antonio Vavra

Kevin Wilcox

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January 29, 2023

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Vanco Online Donations

Sunday Collection: \$6,399.00 Sunday

Sunday Collections: \$1,011.00 Building Fund: \$260.00

<u>From Fr. Melvin</u>: A blessed thank you to our Parish families of St. Mary, Our Lady of Lourdes and Holy Rosary. Over the past few days I completed a spiritual journey of opening envelopes of cards and gifts attached regarding the 30th Anniversary of my Ordination. I am deeply touched by the outpouring of love in faith and spirit to you and everyone so thoughtful of me in my call as Pastor. In God's care, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen!

Sunday, February 5, 2023

This Sunday we begin the famous Sermon on the Mount from Matthew's Gospel which we will be hearing over the next several weeks. As disciples of Jesus, we are called to be light and salt for the world. Both light and salt are change agents and that is what we are called to be. But first we must allow the power of God to change us — so we are able to live and act as Christ did. When we allow God's power to work in us, then our actions of charity and justice; of feeding the hungry; clothing the naked; sheltering the homeless and oppressed will be Good News for others. Then we will be acting as agents of God's light with the flavor of God's love for others. Whom do you know that needs light and salt? How can you bring that to them?

Deacon John's Retirement - All parishioners of St. Mary's and Holy Rosary are invited to a Retirement Party honoring Deacon John Young on Sunday, February 26th following the 10:00 am Mass to be held at the St. Mary's Parish Hall. There will be a pot luck luncheon, so please bring your favorite covered dish/dessert to share as we thank Deacon John for his service to our parishes.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

February 8 at 6:00 PM - 7:15 PM February 15 at 6:00 PM - 7:15 PM

February 22 at 6:00 PM - 7:15 PM Ash Wednesday

LECTORS

Saturday, February 11 at 5:00 PM Elizabeth Junek Sunday, February 12 at 10:00 AM Lori Olivarez

PRECIOUS BLOOD MINISTERS

Saturday - February 11 at 5:00 PM Daniel Junek, Patti Miller, Laurie Acebo, Sharon Klechka Sunday - February 12 at 10:00 AM Judy Ahrens, Julie Eubanks, Pat Droulihet, Anna Schielack

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday - February 11 at 5:00 PM Elizabeth Junek & Beverly Broaddus Sunday - February 12 at 10:00 am John Urbanosky, Mike Hilberling

HOSPITALITY GREETERS

Saturday's of the Month

1st - Hubert & Louemma Polansky 2nd - Women's Club 3rd - Frank & Judy Muzny 4th - Nathan Ausley & Patti Miller

Sunday's of the Month

1st - Knights of Columbus 2nd - Cullen & Debbie Tittle 3rd - Karl & Sherri Schneider 4th - Women's Club The officers and members of KJT Society #100 send a grateful thank you for the contributions to the Bud Vase Collection Drive for Hospice Brazos Valley. Your help will allow volunteers to continue their ministry of delivering flowers to hospice patients. Again, thank you for helping to make this KJT project a success. Joe J. Rychlik, President

2023 Collection Envelopes

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The new year is in full swing, yet there are still several boxes of assigned 2023 Contribution Envelopes that have not been picked up so if you haven't already, please pick yours up. After this weekend, the 2023 Contribution Envelopes can be picked up in the Parish Office.

2022 Church Contribution Statements - If you would like a copy of your 2022 Church Financial Contribution Statement, you may request a copy by calling the Parish Office at 979-567-3667, or send an email request to Tina Vavra; office-manager@stmaryscaldwell.com. When requesting your statement, please let us know if you wish your statement to be mailed or emailed to you. Statements will only be processed for those who request one. Thank you.

The Diocese of Austin 75th anniversary commemorative book makes a perfect gift! If you would like to purchase a book you can come by the office at St. Mary's and make your purchase, or we will have a table at the entrance of the church and start selling them after our weekend Masses. They are \$35 cash or check. The book features all the parishes in our diocese, history of Catholicism in our area, and a featured photo of our Chapel on the inside and the back cover. English and bilingual commemorative books are available. Truly a gift to cherish.

Sanctuary Lamp is lit in memory of a loved one, in thanksgiving, or for a special intention. Stipend is \$5. If anyone is interested in the Sanctuary Lamp please contact Margie at St. Mary's or email: margie@stmaryscaldwell.com or call 979-567-3667.

2023 Camino de Santiago pilgrimage!

Please join other Catholics from the diocese to hike the Camino de Santiago along the countryside of Spain. This tour begins in Sarria, the most popular Camino starting point, covering the last 100km of the Camino Francés to converge on Santiago de Compostela. Tour includes hotel, airfare, two meals each day, luggage shuttled while you hike, a local hiking guide, and training to get you physically ready. There are still spots available for the June 1st to the 13th Camino hike (includes a stop in Fatima) or the July 6th through the 16th hike (not including Fatima). If you are interested in longer hikes, there are also spots available for the 35-day hike (May 1st through June 11th) or an 11-day hike (Sept 27th through October 12th) on the Portuguese Coastal Camino. If you are interested in joining any of these spiritual journeys, contact Jane Lakatos at jhlakatos@gmail.com to get more information.

Memorials

St. Mary's Women's Club Scholarship Fund

In Loving Memory of
† Doris Strauss
By
Hal & Mary Lou Alford
Maurice & Terri Jurena
Doug & Nita Beavers

KJT Scholarship Fund

In Loving memory of
† Doris Strauss
By
Hubert and Louemma Polansky

Caldwell Knights of Columbus Council 6366

BBQ CHICKEN PLATES Sunday, February 12th

Serving begins at 11:00 PM -1:00 PM Price is \$12.00 per plate (To Go Only)

Plates consist of one-half BBQ chicken, twice baked potatoes, green beans, pickle and onions.





Cursillistas, tenemos reunion cada domingo a las 6:00 pm en el PAC de la iglesia.

VIRTUS (Ethics and Integrity in Ministry)

The EIM Office would like to thank you for your support during the transition of our website and curriculum to VIRTUS.org. If you had an EIM account in the past, your data has been transferred to VIRTUS and you'll receive a welcome email with your VIRTUS login information. If you are new to the EIM process, please go to www.austindiocese.org/eim-virtus-intro to learn how to create an account and sign up for a workshop. If you have any questions, please reach out to the EIM Office at eim@austindiocese.org or (512)949-2447.

VIRTUS (Etica e Integridad en el Ministerio)

La Oficina de EIM desea agradecerle su apoyo durante la transición de nuestro sitio web y plan de estudios a VIRTUS.org. Si usted tenía una cuenta EIM en el pasado, sus datos han sido transferidos a VIRTUS y recibirá un correo electrónico de bienvenida con su información de inicio de sesión VIRTUS. Si eres nuevo en el proceso EIM, visita https://www.austindiocese.org/taller-de-eim para saber cómo crear una cuenta e inscribirte en un taller. Si tiene alguna pregunta, póngase en contacto con la oficina de EIM en eim@austindiocese.org o (512)949-2447.

PRAYER LIST - Please pray for the spiritual, mental, and physical needs of our parish, especially for the following: Francie Baxter, Doug Baxter, Ken & Paula Bartnesky, Edward Beran, Mildred Beran, Jake Cedidla, Tammy Chandarlis, Darryl Clark, Jimmy Court, Janice Crook, James Davidson, Fr. Tom Hanus, Richard Harrison, George Johnson, Cheryl Johnson, Kevin Johnson, Dianne Jaster, Pat Kvapil, Gloria Kubecka, Everly Kurek, Mark Kochert, Jimmy Lopez, Bob Litzman, Denise Mattox, Blaine McRae, Lisa McInroe, Jeannine Mayo, Isaiah Luke Malagon, Pat Marek, John Malazzo, Doug Meister, Stacy Mitchell, Dorothy Muzny, Dwayne Muzny, Mary Ann Muzny, Pam Moore, Fr. Michael O'Conner, Yvonne Piwonka, Daniel & Pat Pless, Patty Quinn, Bernadette Polansky, Willie Ramon, Chris Ramon, Roy Rodriguez, Larry See, Antone Schrader, Forrest Stoker, Lucia Sanchez, Gloria Telg, Patricia Tarnowski, Mike Turner, Christine Vogler, Pam Vollentine, Felis Wyatt, Sora Whitecross, Stephen & Mary Wooten, **Persons remain on this list for 4 weeks, unless other arrangements are made with Parish office.**