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Mass Schedule
Sunday: 10 AM
Saturday: 6 PM
Holy Days: See Bulletin
Weekdays: See Bulletin
Other Parish Information
Confessions: See Bulletin & By Appointment
Baptisms: By Appointment
Weddings: Arrangements at least six months in advance
Funerals: Arrangements at the Rectory
Annual Homecoming & Bazaar: 2nd Sunday in October

dear Padre

September 21, 2014

Is there a dress code for weddings?

A few months ago you talked about appropriate dress for Mass. What about appropriate dress for brides and bridesmaids at church weddings? Some of the dresses are so revealing you'd never know they were getting married in a church. Are there rules about this?

You make a very good point. Individual dioceses or parishes might have guidelines, but the universal Church doesn't, and standards of modesty vary. One would presume that people getting married in a church, or even just attending Mass, would understand proper decorum.

By the time the bridal party is entering the church, it's too late for the priest to do anything about the gowns, although I have heard of a priest who gave the bride a handkerchief to cover herself.

Parishes should have guidelines that cover dress for all members of the bridal party and for photography, music, and participation in the Eucharist. These guidelines should be given to the couple when they prepare for the sacrament to avoid embarrassing situations in the vestibule right before the wedding.

Ask your pastor if your archdiocese or parish has such guidelines. If it doesn't, offer to help draw them up.

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2014

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IIN ORDINARY TIME

Let us seek the Lord so we may receive the

The first reading exhorts us to seek the Lord while he may be found. The reading from Philippians reminds us to conduct ourselves in a way that is worthy of the Gospel of Christ. In the Gospel, Jesus tells a parable about a landowner hiring laborers to work in his vineyard. Its lesson is that the first shall be last and the last shall be first.

Mass Intentions

Wednesday, September 24th-12 noon
Mike & Agnes Smith

Friday, September 26th -12 noon
Louis Clara Walkoviak

Saturday, September 27th-6 pm
Deceased members of the Louis & Sally Snow Family And Patrick Busa Family

Sunday September 28h-10am
Joe, Annie & Thomas Kitkoski, Frank Dietrich &

Father Jojo
frjojo@embarqmail.com

Father Jojo requests that you visit the following websites:
~www.fatima.org
~www.fatimachallenge.com
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New Catholic Radio Station:
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Liturgical Ministers

Saturday September 27th -6pm

Lectors: Leonard & Lanell Szymczak Rosary: Barbara Dibello
E.M.H.C: Susan Wisnoski, Leonard Szymczak & Gary Klodzinski
Altar Servers: Gregory Pasket, Philip Pasket, & Andrew Borski
Ushers: Michael Wisnoski, Darrin Pasket, Johnny Pasket Jr. & Chet Sicinski

Sunday, September 28th -10 am

Lectors: Teen Ministry Rosary: Barbara Szymczak
E.M.H.C: David Borski, Marion & Evelyn Szymczak, Joan Pushee, Tommy Szymczak & Robert Maggio (Choir)
Altar Servers: Sam McClosky, Carter Vezurk & Tyler Abraham
Ushers: Teen Ministry

Readings: Cycle

Monday	Wednesday	Saturday
Sept. 22	Sept. 24	Sept. 27
Prv 3:27–34 Lk 8:16–18	Prv 30:5–9 Lk 9:1–6	Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest Eccl 11:9—12:8 Lk 9:43b–45
Tuesday	Thursday	Sunday
Sept. 23	Sept. 25	Sept. 28
Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest Prv 21:1–6, 10–13 Lk 8:19–21	Eccl 1:2–11 Lk 9:7–9	Ez 18:25–28 Phil 2:1–11 or
	Friday	
	Sept. 26	
	Eccl 3:1–11 Lk 9:18–22	

Our Church will be open daily for prayer at 8am until 4 pm provided the office is open.
The church office is closed on Mondays.
For information on renting the parish hall contact the church office.

Please pray for our parish family who are ill and/or homebound.

Regina Sechelski, Barbara Perry, Kaudia Johnson, CJ Kapcinski, Christine Bush, Lois Barton, Frances Sechelski, Michael Yanchak, Claudia Gurrola, Thomas Noble, Matthew Oliver, Reagan Oliver, Martha Klawinsky, William Lett, Kathy Lang, Marcus Klawinsky, Geneva Sicinski, Crista Chiles Skalsky, Margaret Creel, Jannie Abbott, Joseph Obell, Jenna Zientek, Helen Molitor, Florence Lara, Mary Joel Phillips, Rosalee (Pat) Janacek, Henry & Meb Hartman, John Faust, Aaron Fontaine, Helen Kimich, Pearl Busa, Steve Vezurk, Mary Pasket, Betty Schott, Russel Mattern, Rosemary Molina, Faye Faust, Theresa Dietrich, Bernice Briers, Betty Busa, Tommy Szymczak, Tina Pasket, Charlie

Please pray for those in active military duty.
Michael Katkoski, Matthew Macejewski, Austin Barnes, Sr., Airman Andrew L. Burzynski, Sgt. John McKnight, Ronnie Morris, Matthew Boling Jr., Deavan Szymanski, Philip Robbins, Don Fontaine

Please let the office know of anyone who should be added or removed

Collections

Saturday Sept. 13 2014
$929.00
Sunday Sept. 7 2014
$2,338.00

Upcoming 2nd Collections:

Sept 27 & 28th
Bazaar Grocery Booth

October 19, 2014
Propagation Of the Faith

Masses At St. Stanislaus

Saturday-Mass will be here at 6pm with confessions beginning at 5pm.
Sunday- Mass will begin at 10 am.

Our Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for September

Mentally disabled. That the mentally disabled may receive the love and help they need for a dignified life.

Service to the poor. That Christians, inspired by the Word of God, may serve the poor and suffering.

Choir practice is every Wednesday at 7pm in the church. Everyone is welcome to join!

12 Hour Adoration

Our church is open every Monday beginning at 8 am until 8pm. Everyone is welcome to join in the worship with the scheduled persons.

Divine Mercy Adoration will be held on Friday following the noon mass.

St. Stanislaus Kostka, Pray for us.

RCIA

Anyone seeking the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) or adult confirmation, please call the church office at (936) 873-2291

Baptism

Classes are necessary for baptisms. Please contact the parish office to make needed arrangements.

Eucharistic Adoration Holy Hour

First Friday & First Saturday of every other month begins at 6pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

~30 minutes before weekday Masses (Please call ahead so the priest knows.)
~5pm on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays

Anointing of the Sick

Every 3rd weekend of the month, anointing of the sick will be held in the church following the 10 :am mass.

Anointing of the sick is for people who are seriously ill or preparing to undergo surgery. It is also for the elderly who are suffering from the infirmities of age.

Planning a Marriage?

There is a required preparation process that must be completed prior to one being married in the Catholic Church. Start Early! Please contact the parish office for more information.

Welcome to St. Stanislaus Catholic Church!

Please contact the parish office if you wish to register or know someone who would like to become a member of our parish. Current members are asked to update your contact information as well.

Legion of Mary

We have joined with Christ Our Light. Please join us at Christ Our Light on Thursdays at 12:00

Altar Society

St. Stanislaus Altar Society meets the first Thursday of every month. The next meeting will be October 2nd at 6:30. Catholic ladies are welcome to join us!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Christians throughout Grimes and Waller Counties are invited to join the over 300 communities for the international 40 Days for Life Fall 2014 effort from September 24 through November 2. 40 days of peaceful prayer and fasting for an end to abortion, 40 days of being publically pro-life. During these 40 days, please sign up to pray a particular hour each week (or each day) and then spread the word about this important life-saving effort by putting up a Yard Sign where others can see it. For more information, or to volunteer to help, please

Knights of Columbus

All wives are invited to the KC monthly social dinner. Sept. 22 at 6:45.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

On the 1st weekend of every month (Sunday Masses), Fr. Jojo will bless anyone with a birthday or wedding anniversary during that month.

Knights of Columbus

KC Council #4054 meets at the KC Hall every 2nd & 4th Monday at 7pm. Please join us. All Catholic men are welcome. Contact Dean Miller at 936-524-1700 for more information.

Cemetery Guidelines

If you have questions or concerns pertaining to the cemetery contact Charles Posinski at 873-2113. *If work needs to be done to a headstone or grave you must first contact Charles Posinski.*

The first reading offers a beautiful admonition: "Seek the Lord while he may be found, call on him while he is still near." Some reasons why it is important to do this is because God is good and loving, gracious and merciful, and offers us peace and salvation. Let us seek the Lord so that we may receive God's good gifts.

Bazaar information

We are still in need of donations for a few Raffle Prizes. If you can donate toward the Raffle Prizes, please contact the Parish Office. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Bazaar Raffle Tickets are available in the Church. Please pick up your tickets.
Raffle tickets are $1 each or a book of 12 for $10

Kolache Recipe, Pans, and Lids are available by the visiting Priest's Confessional. We need homemade Kolaches, Pies and Pastries for the Kolache & Pastry Booth.

We need Cakes for the Cake Booth as well as Cakes and Deserts for the Kitchen. We also need homemade and handmade items for Babusha's Porch.

Our Saturday preparation for our Bazaar will begin on Saturday, September 27th from 8:30 AM until Noon. Help is greatly needed on these days for our Bazaar preparation.

Our Sunday Mass on Bazaar Sunday, October 12, will begin @ 9:00 AM instead of the usual 10:00 AM.

St. Stanislaus 2014 Bazaar

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Raffle Prizes

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