

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church

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♦ **Saturday Vigil** **4:15pm**

♦ **Sunday** **10:00am**

Weekdays: Wednesday & Friday 12 noon

(Reconciliation at 11:30am)

Dear Padre

February 24, 2019

At Mass, the priest lifts the chalice and says the blood of Christ "will be poured out for you and for many." For decades, the wording was "all" not "many." Why the change?

A 2001 Vatican document, *On the Use of Vernacular Languages in the Publication of the Books of the Roman Liturgy (Liturgiam Authenticam)*, called for a strict alignment between liturgical texts and the original Latin. Consequently, the current English translation of *The Roman Missal* (third edition) includes a more literal translation of "*Et cum spiritu tuo*" as "And with your spirit" rather than the loose translation "And also with you."

Likewise, the change from "all" to "many" in the words of consecration has to do with the Latin text *pro multis*, for which the exact translation is "for many." Moreover, "for many" also aligns with the words of Jesus at the Last Supper in the Gospels of Mark (14:24) and Matthew (26:28).

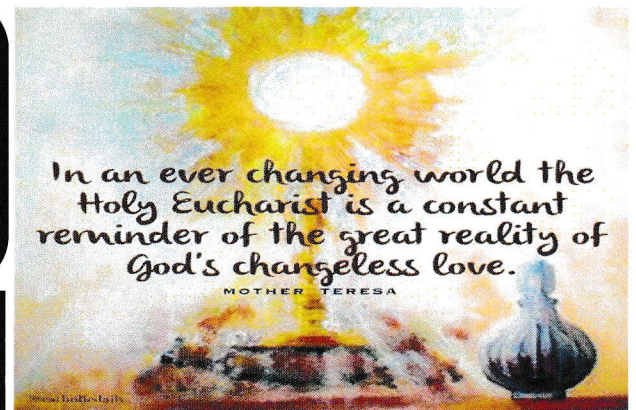
And Scripture scholar Daniel Harrington, SJ, cites the Suffering Servant who "bore the sins of many" in Isaiah 53:12 as the basis for the passages in Mark and Matthew. Others, however, question if the exact translation "for many" misrepresents Christ's universal offer of salvation by his death on the cross. To be clear, Jesus died to offer salvation to everyone, even though it's possible that some won't accept his offer. As the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments says: "'For many' is a faithful translation of *pro multis*, whereas 'for all' is rather an explanation of the sort that belongs properly to catechesis."

—Fr. Byron Miller, CSSR

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 24th 2019

"Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord." John 6:56



Jesus challenges us to act with love.

In the first reading, David does not allow anyone to harm Saul when they have the opportunity to do so, and makes it clear to Saul's troops what he did. In Corinthians, Paul describes Jesus as the second Adam, the spiritual man. Jesus, in the Gospel, explains to his disciples all that the commandment "to love" entails.

Mass Intentions

Wednesday February 27th 12:00

Living & Deceased member of the
John & Frances Wisnoski Family

Friday March 1st 12:00

Faye Faust

Saturday March 2nd 4:15

John & Maggie Pasket

Sunday March 3rd 10:00

Living & Deceased member of the
Connie & Amelia Moriarty

Father Eli

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Enter Parish code:

MVMZKF to register

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday March 2nd 4:15pm

Lectors:

E.M.H.C

Altar Servers:

Ushers:

Delores Posinski & Carolyn Kimich

Charles & Delores Posinski, Leonard Szymczak

Andrew Borski, Jacob Borski, Evan Borski

Darrell Wagner, Johnny Pasket Jr., Stephen Pasket, Danny Pasket

Rosary: Barbara Dibello

Sunday March 3rd 10:00am

Lectors:

E.M.H.C

Altar Servers

Ushers:

Gail Sowell & Brain Burzynski

David Borski, Gary Klodzinski, Russell Pasket,

Don & Gail Sowell & Robert Maggio (choir)

Reece Wroblewski, Ryan Wroblewski, Carter Vezurk

Ian Campbell, Daniel Klawinsky, Don Sowell, James Busa

Rosary: Linda LaSalle



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. 936-873-2291
Current members are asked to update your contact information as well.

Cemetery Guidelines : If you have questions or concerns pertaining to the cemetery contact Charles Posinski at 936-873-2113. If work needs to be done on a headstone or grave you must first contact Charles Posinski.

Altar Society : Meets the first Thursday of every month. The next meeting will be Thursday March 7th at 6:00 in the rectory.
All Catholic ladies are welcome to join us!

12 Hour Adoration: Our church is open every Monday 8 am to 8 pm Starting September 10th to May.
Everyone is welcome to join in the worship with the scheduled persons.

Divine Mercy: Every Friday after the noon Mass . Everyone is welcome to join us.

RCIA & RCIC: Anyone seeking the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults / Children or adult confirmation. Please call the church office at 936-873-229 New classes will start in the fall.

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

Anointing of the Sick : Every 3rd weekend of the month, anointing of the sick will be held in the church following the 10:00 am Sunday 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.

Knights of Columbus : KC Council #4054 meets at the KC Hall every 2nd Tuesday at 7pm.
Please join us. All Catholic men are welcome. Contact Anthony Olivieri at 936-522-8146 for more information.

The Knights of Columbus provides a free meal on the 2nd Sunday after Mass in the parish hall.

Baptism: Classes are necessary for baptism. Please contact the parish office to make needed arrangements.

Choir Practice: Thursdays at 6:30 in the church. Everyone is welcome to join.

Marriage: There is a required preparation process that must be completed prior to one being married in the Catholic Church. Please call the office for more information.

Reconciliation: 30 Minutes before Wednesday & Friday Masses



St Stanislaus Kostka

Pray for us!

Our Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for February

Universal: For a generous welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and of violence.

Announcements

Ash Wednesday * March 6th Masses

7am Father Adam

6pm Father Adam

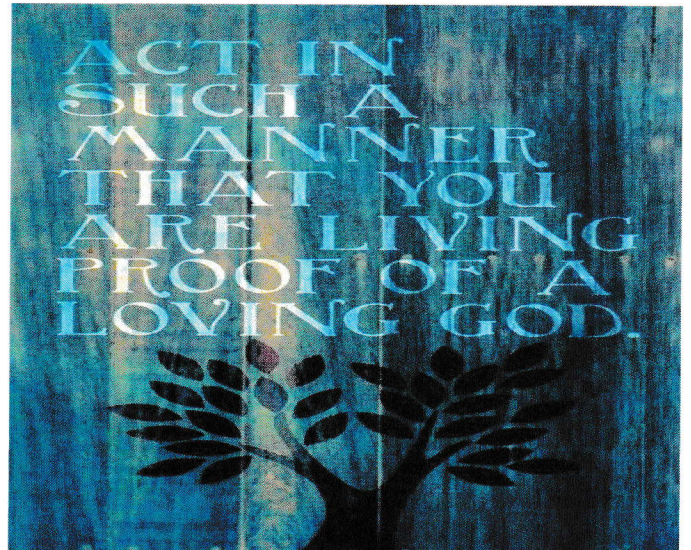
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Knights of Columbus Fish Fry

March 8th at St. Mary's

March 15th at Knights of Columbus in Anderson

Being a Christian – truly following Jesus – isn't easy. Today's Gospel is a reminder of that fact. Jesus describes what it means to act with love. He challenges us to do what seems humanly impossible: to love our enemies and forgive those who hurt us. These are not easy tasks! Only with the help of Jesus can we truly do what he commands.



“Do Not Neglect to Share What You Have”

2019 Diocesan Services Fund

Our 2019 Diocesan Services Fund (DSF) begins next weekend in every parish throughout the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. Christ calls us to serve one another. Serving and sharing gifts with others is a way of praising God. Your kind gift to DSF enables us to reach out to people in this parish and throughout the entire archdiocese through more than 60 important ministries.

This week, all registered parishioners will receive a letter from Cardinal DiNardo, along with a personalized pledge card, inviting you to **Not Neglect to Share What you Have**. Pray about your DSF 2019 commitment, then complete the enclosed pledge card and return it via mail in the special envelope provided or bring it to Mass next weekend. If you prefer, you may go online at www.archgh.org/dsf to make your donation. Your generosity will allow our Catholic community to continue many vital programs and services.

parish goal for this year is \$ 21,000

Readings

Monday February 25

Sir 1:1-10
Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday February 26

Weekday
Sir 2:1-11
Mt 9:30-37

Wed. February 27

Weekday
Sir 4:11-19
Mk 9:38-40

Thursday February 28

Weekday
Sir 5:1-8
Mk 9:41-50

Friday March 1

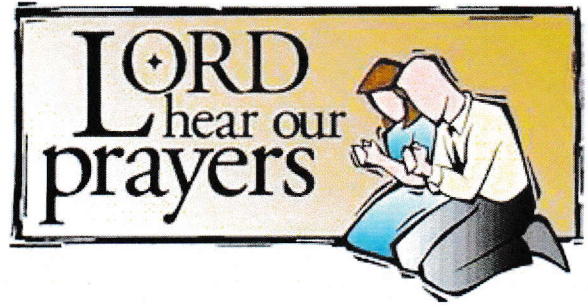
Weekday
Sir 6:5-17
Mk 10:1-12

Saturday March 2

Weekday
Sir 17:1-15
Mk 10:13-16

Sunday March 3

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sir 27:4-7
1 Cor 15:54-58
Lk 6:39-45



Our Church is open for daily prayer during office hours.

Office hours are
Tuesday-Friday

Please pray for those in active military duty:

Austin Barnes, Andrew Burzynski, Don Fontaine, Travis Hayes, Cody Harmen, Cody Klawinsky, Travis Klawinsky, Matthew Macejewski, John McKnight, Phillip Walkowiak, Joe A. Lopez

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

Lois Barton, Betty Busa, Pearl Busa, Kari Lynn Eisenman, John Faust, Jerry Flores, Dolores Holler, Ken Longoria, Edward Pasket, Kenny Sechelski, Leonard Serres, Geneva Sicinski, Stacey Smith, La Nell Szymczak, Bobby Torres, Melissa Campbell Vargas, Sam & Ann Wesolick, Rebecca Wisnoski, Fr. Richard Hinkley, Fr. Louis Sikorski



Please let the office know of anyone who should be added or removed from these lists.

Upcoming 2nd Collections:

March 2nd & 3rd
2019 DSF Commitment Weekend

March 6, 2019
Social Ministries (Ash Wed.)

Weekly Collections:

February 16th
\$1,138.00

February 17th
\$2,138.00



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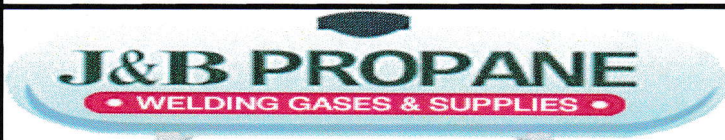
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