

September 22, 2019

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***Mass Schedule***

***Saturday Vigil 4:15pm***

***Sunday 10:00am***

***Wednesday & Friday 12 noon***

***(Reconciliation at 11:30am)***



**Welcome Deacon Jeremy Trull!**

**We look forward to getting to know you during your deaconate year serving our community. Our prayers are with you as you continue your journey to the priesthood.**

Diocese: Lubbock

Home Parish and City: St. John Neumann (Lubbock, TX)

What were you doing prior to entering seminary? Youth Director

In short, what is your vocation story? Why are you in seminary today?

Like many seminarians, my discernment began with the encouragement of those closest to me in my home parish. I initially resisted, but soon realized that I needed to seek God's will for my life rather than try to impose my will on God. After several months of prayer and research, I attended a "Come and See Weekend" at Mundelein Seminary in Illinois, and it was in their chapel that I finally heard God calling to my heart, asking me to discern His will at the seminary.

Advice to other men considering the priesthood: Have courage and trust that God wants what is best for you, even more than you want it for yourself.

Favorite saint : St. George Hobbies or Interests: Reading, powerlifting, singing

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



Jesus instructs us to serve only one master

From the prophet Amos comes a warning to the people of the Northern Kingdom of Israel that God sees those who take advantage of or mistreat the poor and needy, and he will not *forget a thing they have done*. In Paul's Letter to Timothy, he asks for prayers for those in authority – that they be pleasing to the Lord. In Luke's Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of the dishonest steward, and says that a person must be trustworthy in matters big and small. For no one can *serve both God and mammon*.

## ***Mass Intentions***

**Wednesday September 25th 12:00**

Louis & Clara Walkoviak

**Friday September 27th 12:00**

Living & Deceased members of the  
John & Francis Wisnoski family

**Saturday September 28th 4:15pm**

Floyd & James Pasket

**Sunday September 29th 10:00am**

Living & Deceased members of the  
Mike & Agnes Smith Family

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Enter Parish code:

**MVMZKF** to register



## **Liturgical Ministers**



### **Saturday September 28th 4:15pm**

**Lectors:**

**E.M.H.C**

**Altar Servers:**

**Ushers:**

Delores Posinski & Carolyn Kimich

Charles & Delores Posinski, Susan Wisnoski

Andrew Borski, Jacob Borski, Evan Borski

Stephen Paskett, Michael Wisnoski, Danny Pasket, Johnny Pasket Jr.

**Rosary:** Susan Wisnoski

### **Sunday September 29th 10:00am**

**Lectors:**

**E.M.H.C**

**Altar Servers**

**Ushers:**

Gail Sowell & Brian Burzynski

EJ Maupin, Rosanna Molina, Margaret McClosky, David Borski

Jarl Renn & Robert Maggio (choir)

Tyler Abraham, Hannah Abraham, William Abraham

Gary Klodzinski, Daniel Klawinsky, Don Sowell, James Busa

**Rosary:** Rosanna Molina





## Welcome to St. Stanislaus

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

### **Our Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for September**

**Protection of the Oceans**: That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

### **Announcements**

#### **"Building on our past, Securing our future" Program**

Thank you to all parishioners who have completed and submitted your Commitment Card to the church. For those parishioners who have not yet had the opportunity to submit their card, a letter will be mailed to you with a personalized Commitment Card. It is important that all parishioners complete a Commitment Card as we will be mailing out a Summary Report of the program and need all commitments accounted for in this report. If you have any questions, please contact the church office. We also encourage all parishioners to consider our electronic giving method and to setup your reoccurring offertory gifts electronically.

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#### **Slavic Festival**

September 28th the 5:30 pm vigil mass at St. Justin Martyr parish at 13350 Ashford Point, Houston will be opening Mass of the 56th annual Sts. Cyril & Methodius Slavic Heritage Festival. The readings and hymns will be Croatian, Czech, Polish or Ukrainian. Most of the mass will be in English. On Sunday September 29th, The Slavic Festival will be held at the Northside Columbus Club, 607 East Whitney Drive, 12 noon till 6pm. go to

[www.houstonslavicheritagefestival.com](http://www.houstonslavicheritagefestival.com) for more information

Many things compete for our attention on a daily basis. Some of the things we do, we do in light of our faith and in the service of God; other things may draw us away from both. Jesus exhorts us to pay attention to our actions and our motives, for we cannot serve both God and the things of this world.



**Altar Society:** Meets the first Thursday of every month. The next meeting will be Thursday October 3rd at 6:00 in the rectory. All Catholic ladies are welcome.

**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.

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

**Birthdays & Anniversaries:** On the 1<sup>st</sup> weekend of every month Fr. Eli will bless anyone with a birthday or wedding anniversary during that month following the 10:00 am Sunday Mass.

**Cemetery Guidelines:** If you have any questions of concerns pertaining to the cemetery, please contact Charles Posinski at 936-873-2113. If work needs to be done you must call Charles Posinski

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

**Counseling:** Gratia Plena is a nonprofit organization that provides mental and spiritual health services for mental illnesses, addictions, and marriage/family problems. All counselors are Catholic and provide services in a way that is faithful to the teachings, values and traditions of the Church. Their closest office is near The Woodlands, but counselors are also available by video session. For more information, see their website at [www.gratiaplenacounseling.org](http://www.gratiaplenacounseling.org) or call (832) 532-0129, or email [info@gratiaplenacounseling.org](mailto:info@gratiaplenacounseling.org)

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

**Gabriel Project:** Pregnant. Scared. Need to talk! Gabriel Project offer assistance to women experiencing difficult circumstances. Please call Wanda O'Brien 936-597-6328 or St. Mary's Catholic Church 936-894-2223

**Knights of Columbus:** KC Council #4054 meets at the KC Hall every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at 7pm. Please join us. All Catholic men are welcome. Contact Deen Miller 936-524-1700 for membership information. And James Moran 281-450-6646 for rental information. Next Breakfast Oct. 27th

**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.

**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.

**Reconciliation:** 30 Minutes before Wednesday & Friday Masses ( Please call ahead to let the Priest know) and 3:00 to 4:00 on Saturdays

**12 Hour Adoration:** Our church is open every Monday 8 am to 8 pm Starting September 9th Everyone is welcome to join in the worship with the scheduled persons.



# **St. Stanislaus Catholic Church** **Annual Homecoming and Bazaar** **Sunday October 13, 2019**

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14.	Grand Station Gift Card - \$200		
15.	Wal-Mart Gift Card - \$100		

5.00 each or book of 5 for \$20.00  
**Need not be present to win~~~~~ Tickets Courtesy of the First Bank of Anderson**

## **St. Stanislaus 2019 Bazaar**

### **“Bar-B-Q Benefactors”**

The following have generously donated a total of \$7,600 toward  
the cost of our meat this year:

- Anonymous
- Anonymous
- Anonymous
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  - In Memory of Monica Krause
- Lindley-Robertson-Holt Funeral Home
  - In Memory of Marcella Reaves
  - Thomas Ranch – Bill Thomas
  - Tom & Jeanette Upton

**A huge “THANK YOU” FROM Fr. Eli and all the St. Stanislaus Parishioners!**

Each lady of the Parish is asked to bake at least one cake, pie, batch of cookies or pan of kolaches for our upcoming bazaar. You can request that it, or they, be used for the meal, the cake booth, or the kolache booth. Your donations are always appreciated and extremely needed.

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### **Babusha’s Porch**

The bazaar is just weeks away. Babusha’s Porch is looking for homemade items such as jellies, pickles, picante sauce, bread, kolaches, etc. as well as handmade crafts, knick-knack items, etc. Please bring items to the parish office Tuesday through Friday 8 am to 4 pm or call Gail Sowell at 936-870-6842 for pickup or to make other arrangements.

## DSF 2019

Parish Goal \$21,000

Total Paid \$16,231

Under Goal **\$4,769**

## IGNITE

Parish Goal \$182,786

Total Paid \$ 35,406.19

Under Goal **\$147,379.81**

### Please pray for those in active military duty:

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

Our Church is open  
for daily prayer  
during office hours.

Office hours are  
Tuesday-Friday  
8 to 4



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

Clyde Bachmeyer, Laverne Backhus, Alan Burzynski, Betty Busa,  
Kevin Busa, Barbara Dibello, Patricia Dobyanski, Kari Lynn  
Eisenman, John Faust, Jerry Flores, Cassie, Kobe & Channing  
Guillory, Dolores Holler, Felix Kimich, Joe Kitkoski, Ken Longoria,  
Charlie Pasket, Edward Pasket, Bob Riedle, Kenny Sechelski,  
Geneva Sicinski, Stacey Smith, Chris Szymczak, La Nell Szymczak,  
Bobby Torres, Melissa Campbell Vargas, Raymond Warzon,  
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 2<sup>nd</sup> Collections:

October 20th *Propagation of The Faith*

November 10th *Retired Priests*

### Weekly Collections:

September 14th \$ 1,654.00

September 15th \$ 2,731.00



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