

# **St. Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Church**



**Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston \*1511 Hwy 90 South \* Anderson, Texas 77830**

## **Mailing Address**

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## **Parish Office Hours**

**Tuesday—Friday 8:00 to 4:00**

**Website: [www.saintstans.org](http://www.saintstans.org)**

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## **WEEKEND MASS**

**Saturday Vigil: 4:15pm**

**Sunday: 10:00am**

## **WEEKDAY MASS**

**Wednesday & Friday noon**

## **ROSARY**

**Saturday: 3:45pm**

**Sunday: 9:30am**

## **RECONCILIATION / CONFESSION**

**Wednesday & Friday noon mass**

*(Please call ahead to see if available)*

**Saturday 3:00 to 4:00**

**June 18th 2023 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**June 18, 2023**

*The kingdom of heaven is at hand.*

In the first reading, God reminds the Israelites of his care, exhorts them to keep his covenant, and promises to make them *a kingdom of priests, a holy nation*. In Paul's Letter to the Romans, we are reminded that we were reconciled, while we were still helpless, through Christ. In the Gospel, Jesus is moved with pity and sends his disciples to heal and preach.



### **Mass Time & Intentions**

#### **Wednesday June 21st noon**

David & Pearl Busa

Joe & Willie Vezurk

#### **Friday June 23rd noon**

CJ & Ruth Kapchinski

Rodney & Kortney Horton

#### **Saturday June 24th 4:15**

Floyd & James Pasket, John & Maggie Pasket

Willie, Christine & Frank Sechelski

#### **Sunday June 25th 10:00**

Deacon Anton & Geneva Sicinski

Daniel Sicinski & Deaven Szymanski

#### **Father**

**Giovanni Nguyen**

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wish to become a register member

936-873-2291



### **Liturgical Ministers Schedule**



#### **Saturday June 24th 4:15 pm**

**Lectors:** Delores Posinski & Joan Pushee'

**EMHC:** Charles & Delores Posinski

**Rosary:** Delores Posinski

**Altar Servers:** Evan Borski, Claire Borski, Jacob Borski

**Ushers:** Danny Pasket, Darrell Wagner, Johnny Pasket Jr., Stephen Pasket

#### **Sunday June 25th 10:00 am**

**Lectors:** Marion Szymczak

**EMHC:** Rosanna Molina, Margaret McClosky, David Borski, Jarl Renn

**Rosary:** Linda LaSalle

**Altar Servers:** Kelli Belinowski, Courtney Scholz, Kyle Buenger

**Ushers:** Marcus Klawinsky, Darrin Pasket, Carl Schroeder, Lance Schroeder

**If you cannot be present, please find a replacement**

# Welcome to St. Stanislaus Kostka

## Our Holy Father's Prayer Intentions June

### For the abolition of torture:

We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

## **BAZAAR:**

1st meeting July 12th at 6pm in the parish hall

We are looking for fresh ideas for our raffle prizes. Please share your ideas with the office.

## **CCE Spring Festival**

Our CCE program run on the profit from the Spring Festival each year. Thank you to all the CCE teachers for making this event possible and everyone who continues to support our CCE program. God bless you all! This years profit was \$15,532

## **JOIN US FOR VBS 2023!**

**When:** June 19-23, 2023 **Time:** 5-8 pm **Where:** St. Stanislaus Kostka  
Please register your child/children at: [www.myvbs.org/ststanislaus](http://www.myvbs.org/ststanislaus)

For any question, please contact Jessica Prado at (979) 574-4806.

## **BULLETINS**

Please remember that our weekly bulletins are on the website [saintstans.org](http://saintstans.org) and on flocknotes.

Flowers on the altar are in honor of living fathers and in memory of deceased fathers, of St. Stanislaus parish, donated by the Edward Pasket family.

**A new list for Lectors, EMHC and Rosary Leaders for 6-24-23 to 7-30-23 is now on the website and at the back of church.**

God's heart has been *moved with pity* for us throughout salvation history. God sees us in our wanderings, like sheep without a shepherd. Our readings today weave together a tender saga of God's loving care as he works to gather us back unto himself.

*Our Church is open for daily prayer during office hours.*

*Tuesday—Friday 8:00 to 4:00*

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**Parish Giving**

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go to [www.saintstans.org](http://www.saintstans.org)

Click on Stewardship, Then click online giving.  
You will be taken to our online donation portal,

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

Sam Bova, Donna Emmette, John Faust, Dolores Holler, Helen Moriarty, Elizabeth Nowak,  
Henry Ostermann, Matthew Oliver, Adam Pasket, Tina Pasket, Christy Smythe,  
LaNell Szymczak, Melissa Vargas, Shawn Welch, Joannie Willis

*Lord - hear our prayers*

**Please pray for those in active military duty**

Andrew Anderson, Austin Barnes, Andrew Burzynski, Lukas Diorio, Hayden Fontaine, Travis Hayes,  
Cody Klawinsky, Travis Klawinsky, Stash Kurten, Joe A. Lopez, Matthew Macejewski,  
John McKnight, Shelby Seale, Phillip Walkoviak, Travis Watson

**2nd Collections**

**July 2nd**

Peter's Pence

**July 23rd**

SVDP-Black Bag

**August 13th**

Infirm Priests



**Weekly  
Collections**

June 10th & 11th

\$3,918.50





## Bucket List Questions

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

**T**he *Bucket List* is a movie about two men, played by Jack Nicholson and Morgan Freeman, who find themselves sharing a hospital room, each diagnosed with terminal cancer. As they talk about the days that remain for each of them, they begin to discuss what they would yet hope to experience before they die. Hence, the title of the film.

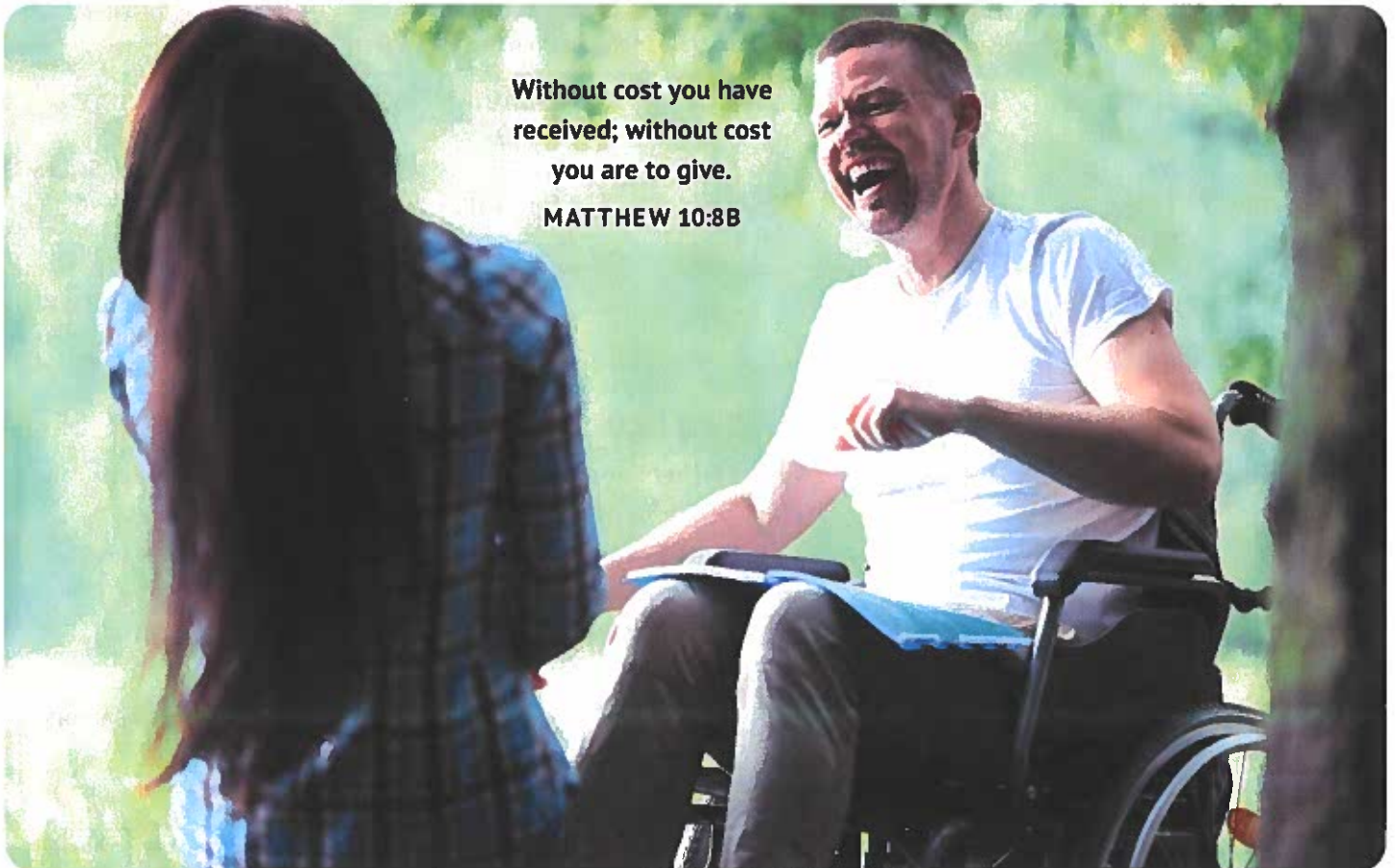
At one point amid their many escapades together, Freeman suggests that God is going to ask two questions when they stand before the pearly gates. Nicholson hears this and grows edgy, suspecting his eternal future may be at risk. Freeman then tells him that the first question will be, "Have you ever experienced joy in life?" At that, Nicholson beams with a silly grin that suggests he is thinking more of pleasure than he is of joy. Nonetheless, he decides his lock on eternal bliss is halfway there. Then Freeman reveals the second question: "Have you ever brought joy to the lives of others?" With that, Nicholson's face drops, realizing his life has been more about himself than about others.

Religion is not just about "going to church" but also about "going from church into the world." That, in a sense, is what Jesus did when he named the twelve apostles and sent them out to heal, bring life, and overcome evil. It is also what we find ourselves sent to do amid the scattered events of every week—to bring joy into the lives of others. ●

### Reflect

*If God asks you about your experiences of joy and bringing joy to others, how will you answer?*

Without cost you have  
received; without cost  
you are to give.  
MATTHEW 10:8B



# Dear Padre,

*Is there a right to health care? As a Catholic, what kind of obligation do I have to use my resources to help with the purchase of medicine for my brother? His insurance won't cover the costs, and he's on a fixed income.*

Saint John XXIII's 1963 encyclical *Pacem In Terris* (Peace on Earth) said people have a right to live and a right to the "means necessary for the proper development of life" (11). This text serves as a foundation for the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' speaking of a right to "basic" or "adequate health care" in their Ethical and Religious Directives for Catholics. What is not clear in Church teaching is who has the duty to ensure that right. In some cases, the state has taken this responsibility, but this need not be the case. The condition of millions of our brothers and sisters in Christ, however, urges us to action on their behalf.

Regarding the case of one's brother, the question is difficult because of the need for more information. What is the brother's prognosis? Is he taking care of himself responsibly? What do you feel capable of doing morally without placing yourself and others in your care at risk?

Whatever one's ability to respond in this case, one's relationship with one's brother should be marked by compassion and a sincere desire and will to help in whatever way is morally reasonable. ●

Excerpted from *Life, Death, and Catholic Medical Choices: 50 Questions from the Pews*, © 2011 Liguori Publications / DearPadre.org



## Do you have a question for the Padre?

Go to [DearPadre.org](http://DearPadre.org) to send your question and to learn more about *Dear Padre*.

| MONDAY       | TUESDAY     | WEDNESDAY    | THURSDAY      | FRIDAY       | SATURDAY         | SUNDAY         |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|------------------|----------------|
| June 19      | June 20     | June 21      | June 22       | June 23      | June 24          | June 25        |
| Weekday      | Weekday     | St. Aloysius | Weekday       | Weekday      | Nativity of St.  | Twelfth Sunday |
| 2 Cor 6:1-10 | 2 Cor 8:1-9 | Gonzaga,     | 2 Cor 11:1-11 | 2 Cor 11:18, | John the Baptist | in Ordinary    |
| Mt 5:38-42   | Mt 5:43-48  | Religious    | Mt 6:7-15     | 21-30        | Is 49:1-6        | Time           |
|              |             | 2 Cor 9:6-11 |               | Mt 6:19-23   | Acts 13:22-26    | Jer 20:10-13   |
|              |             | Mt 6:1-6,    |               |              | Lk 1:57-66, 80   | Rom 5:12-15    |
|              |             | 16-18        |               |              |                  | Mt 10:26-33    |

## A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

*A good father knows how to wait and knows how to forgive from the depths of his heart. Certainly, he also knows how to correct with firmness: he is not a weak father, submissive and sentimental. The father who knows how to correct without humiliating is the one who knows how to protect without sparing himself.*

GENERAL AUDIENCE, ROME, FEBRUARY 4, 2015





## *Jesus Sends Us to Do His Work*

Today's Gospel reading tells the story of Jesus sending out His twelve apostles to do His work in the nearby towns. He was teaching them to do His work: healing the sick, raising the dead, and even driving out demons. Do you think they might have been a bit nervous, or even scared, to do this work?



Did you know that you are also called to be a disciple of Jesus? Some people are called to be missionaries and bring Jesus' word to far away places, but most of us - especially when we are young - are called to do Jesus' work close to home.

What are some of the ways you can be an apostle for Jesus? Maybe you can pray for sick or hurt people that you know of. You can tell people the stories of Jesus that you know. And did you know that even by being a good example to others, you are teaching them about the love of Jesus by your actions?

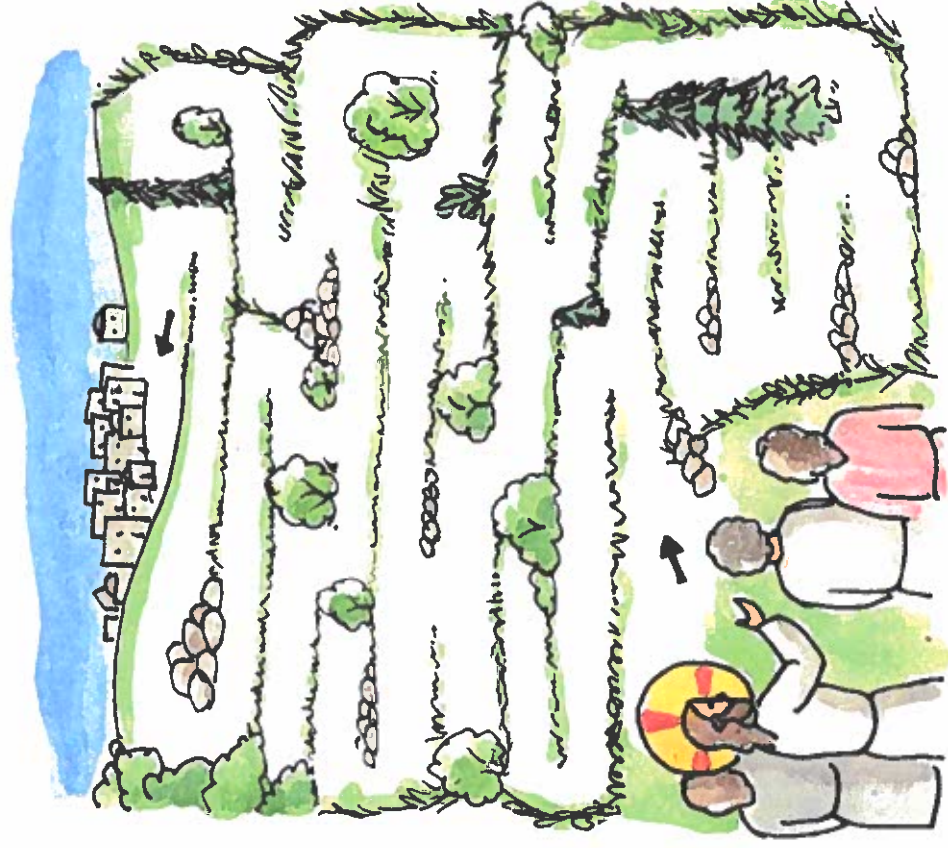
Don't be scared - do Jesus' work for the people around you today!



Answer to Word Find: APOSTLES

# The Kids' Bulletin

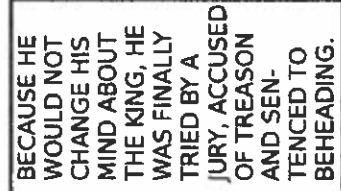
11th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
June 18th, 2023



*Jesus sent His Apostles to the surrounding towns to preach and heal. Can you find the way to the nearby town for the Apostles?*

# Saint John Fisher

June 22



SAINT JOHN FISHER DID NOT FEAR THE KING'S ANGER, SINCE HE KNEW THAT OBEYING GOD'S LAW IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN BEING ALIVE. HE SPOKE THE TRUTH EVEN WHEN IT WAS VERY HARD. YOU CAN PRAY TO ST. JOHN FISHER WHEN YOU FEEL PRES- SURED TO GIVE IN AND AGREE WITH THINGS THAT ARE WRONG.

# Jesus Sends out the Apostles

## Word-Find

Find the words in CAPITALS hidden in the puzzle.  
Use the leftover letters to fill in the blanks at the end.

The names of the twelve apostles are these:  
first, Simon called PETER, and his brother ANDREW;  
JAMES, the son of Zebedee, and his brother JOHN;  
PHILIP and BARTHOLOMEW, THOMAS and  
MATTHEW the tax collector; James, the son of Alphaeus,  
and THADDEUS; SIMON from Cana, and JUDAS Iscariot  
who betrayed him.

JESUS sent out these twelve after INSTRUCTING them  
thus, "Do not go into PAGAN territory or enter a  
SAMARITAN town. Go rather to the lost SHEEP of the  
HOUSE of ISRAEL. As you go, make this  
PROCLAMATION: 'The KINGDOM of heaven is at hand.'

Cure the SICK, raise  
the dead, cleanse  
LEPERS, drive out  
DEMONS.  
Without cost YOU have  
received; without cost  
you are to GIVE."

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### Altar Society:

Meets the first Thursday,  
September to May.

The next meeting will be  
September 7th at 6:00 in the  
rectory. All Catholic ladies  
are welcome.

### Birthdays & Anniversaries

On the 1<sup>st</sup> weekend of every  
month Fr. Giovanni will  
bless anyone with a  
birthday or wedding  
anniversary that month.

### Next Blood Drive

**August 20th in the parish hall**

### 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  
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### Anointing of the Sick

The anointing of the sick will  
be held after the 3rd Sunday  
mass each month.

### Choir Practice:

Choir practice is on  
Thursday evenings at 6:15pm  
in the church.

### Divine Mercy:

Every Friday after the noon Mass

### 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

### 12 Hour Adoration:

Our church is open every  
Monday 8 am to 8 pm.  
September to the end of May.  
Everyone is welcome to join  
in the worship with the  
scheduled persons.

### RCIA & RCIC:

Anyone seeking the Rite of  
Christian Initiation of Adults/  
Children or adult  
confirmation. Please call the  
church office at 936-873-2291  
RCIA classes to start in  
the fall.

### Baptism:

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

### Cemetery Guidelines:

If you have any questions of  
concerns pertaining to the  
cemetery, please contract  
Charles Posinski at 936-873-  
2113. If work needs to be done  
you must call Charles Posinski  
first. *The first week of February  
and in August,  
ALL flowers will be removed.*

### Knights of Columbus:

KC Council #4054 meets at the  
KC Hall every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at  
7pm. Please join us.  
Contact Deen Miller  
936-524-1700 for membership  
And James Moran  
936-306-9663 for rental  
information .

### Marriage:

There is a required preparation  
process that must be completed  
prior to one being married in the  
Catholic Church. Call the office  
for more info.

### Reconciliation:

30 Minutes before Wednesday  
& Friday Masses (When the  
Priest is available) and 3:00  
to 4:00 on Saturdays

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conference**  
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