





& DESSERT

June 27th
After The 11:45 Mass
Potluck Honoring
Deacon Angus
For 35 Years of Service
We Love You!

WEDNESDAY

SHOULD PUBLIC OFFICIALS BE BARRED FROM COMMUNION FOR ADVOCATING **POLICIES WHICH PROMOTE ABORTION?**

In impassioned debate Thursday, U.S. Catholic bishops clashed over how to address concerns about Catholic politicians who continue to receive Communion despite supporting abortion rights. Some bishops said a strong rebuke of such politicians is needed because of recent actions protecting and expanding abortion access. Others warned that such action would portray the bishops as a partisan force during a time of bitter political divisions across the country.

The issue is by far the most contentious agenda item at the national meeting of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, which is being held virtually. It will conclude Friday soon after an announcement of how the bishops cast their secret ballots on the Communion dispute. If a majority of bishops approve, the USCCB's doctrine committee will draft a statement on the meaning of Communion in the life of the church that would be submitted for a vote at a future meeting, probably an inperson gathering in November. One section of the document is expected to include a specific admonition to Catholic politicians and other public figures who disobey church teaching on abortion and other core doctrinal issues.

Bishop Donald Hying of Madison, Wisconsin, said he speaks with many people who are confused by Catholic leaders who advance "the most radical pro-abortion agenda in history," and action from the bishops' conference is needed. "They're looking for direction," Hying said.

Bishop Robert McElroy of San Diego countered that the USCCB would suffer "destructive consequences" from a document targeting Catholic politicians. "It would be impossible to prevent the weaponization of the Eucharist," McElroy said. "We will invite all of the political animosities that divide our nation into the heart of the Eucharistic sacrament." President Biden who attends Mass regularly, says he personally opposes abortion but doesn't think he should impose that position on Americans who feel otherwise. He's taken several executive actions during his presidency that were hailed by abortion-rights advocates.

The chairman of the USCCB doctrine committee, Bishop Kevin Rhoades of Fort Wayne-South Bend, Indiana, said no decisions have been made on the final contents of the proposed document. He said bishops who are not on the committee would have chances to offer input, and the final draft would be subject to amendments before it is put up to a vote.

Scheduled Services June 21st - June 27th

9am **MONDAY MASS +Harold Manning** Tony & Mary Analla

11am **FUNERAL MASS TUESDAY LORENE THOMPSON**

†Brian Johnson State Council K of C 9am **MASS THURSDAY** M/M William Martell

MASS

Didi Velasco

5:30pm

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS SATURDAY 5pm Our Parish Family Fr. Jack

SUNDAY 9am MASS Sayre Parishioners

Fr. Daniel Grover Ordination Anniversary

11:45am **MASS** SUNDAY

Carl Cook Loren & Teresa Harris

THE SACRAMENT OF **FORGIVENESS**

Mon, Tue, Thurs after the 9am Mass Wednesday at 5pm Saturday at 4pm Any Other Time By Calling Fr. Jack at 405-799-5003



O Come, Let Us Adore Him



- 6/20 Anne Clarkson, Roni Grimes, Jackie Harrison, Jake Manning, Ana Marquez, Au Nguyen, Anna Pham, Concepcion Silva, Audrey Varner
- 6/21 Whitney Earnest, Donna Embree, Nancy Fousek, Jeannine Kniffen, Annette Smith
- 6/22 Brandon Barker, Jane Behr, Stephanie Duque, Yong Estorga, Max Mendoza, Oakley Warren
- 6/24 Mason Carr, Maximina Clarkson, Juan Franco, Patrick Hoog, Tharold Lairson, Halei Pruitt, Jesse Pruitt
- 6/25 Steven Brekel, Jaiden Cantrell, Monica Diaz, Jessica Hill, Winnie Kilbourn, Manuel Mendoza, Samantha Rodriguez, Jaiden Young
- 6/26 Felicia Carrigo, Mary Compau, Maria Hernandez, Lucky Phisaiwath, Peter Verdicchio, Tammy Williams

6/20 Paul & Lilia Concannon 27 Scott & Claire Powell 6 **Trung & Nancy Vu** 40 6/21 **Rene & Maria Torres** 24 6/22 25 **Christopher & Chrvl Ferrel** Warren & Sherry Wolfenkoehler 37 6/23 Javier & Amy DeLoera 14 6/24 **Quinn & Lynnette Vance** 26

CALLING MIDDLE & AND
HIGH SCHOOL TEENS
Join Lynn And Mike On
Wednesday Nights In The
St. Francis Youth Center
For A Lite Meal And
Summer Activities
Summer Hours Are
6:30pm-9:00pm

Parents Helping Parents

Positive Communication Strategies in Moving a Loved One Towards Change

The Norman Chapter of Parents Helping Parents will meet in its ONLINE format on Thursday, June 24 at 7:00 PM Central Time.

When communication breaks down in the face of fear and stress, parents who have a loved one struggling with substances can go to a place of isolation or give up on them. Good communication is crucial in fostering the connection that creates space for change where all can feel understood and heard. Jack Sykstus, Marriage & Family Therapist, MS will share techniques for increasing motivation to change through improved communication within the family system. Don't miss this important meeting.

Those interested in joining this (and future) online Parents Helping Parents meetings can participate by providing their e-mail addresses. A Zoom link will then be e-mailed before each meeting. To receive these links, please complete this brief form-

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/22NG8GR

Parents Helping Parents is a network of parents/grandparents/caregivers concerned about substance use disorder in their children (both adolescents and adults). The group offers hope through shared experience, resources, and education. They promote prevention and intervention, collaborative efforts and increased access to information/services, and provide support.

For more information, call 405-278-1221 or go to the website: www.ParentsHelpingParents.info.



We are looking for some intercessory prayer warriors who will set aside a little time during the week to pray for parishioners (or close members of their families) who are seriously if not critically ill and need help from God to get over this particularly rough patch in their lives.

Donna Allford
Theodore Cook
Raudel DeLeon
June Gleason
Shirley Graham
Ann Knapper
John Mollman
Cheryl Painter
Cody Pogue
John Santee

Shere Barabasz Fred Crump Donna Embree Kelvin Gottsch Jamey Hanson Chris Manley Hilary Montoya Martha Penisten Carmen Quiroga Angie Skrapke Keith Biber
Bob Culbert
Tom Forst
Kevin Gottsch
Pasquale Inglima
Dione McCulolough
George Muñoz
Rosa Perez
Joe Ramirez
Pattye Thomas

Most of these individuals are longtime members of our parish. Others are Catholics residing in long term care facilities within our parish boundaries to whom we bring Holy Communion. They could also be aided by your prayers.



Donelda Davis
Pam Johnson
Julia Lee
Bill & Donna Lewis
Gary Means
Rose Rytlewski
Blanca Romero
Elinor Thompson

Denise Dwyer
James Kiely
Vernon Leikam
Shirley Martin
Juanita Murphy
Bobbie Rodriguez
Frank Romero

Pat Everhart
Dolores Waas
Floydene Leis
Don & Sharon Mays
Nancy Patonai
Roberto Rodriguez
Angel Swartz

PAC-A-SAC ITEMS NEEDED THIS WEEK

Canned Tuna or Chicken Spaghetti Sauce Jelly Rice Pancake Mix

THANK YOU

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

SET UP, SERVE, AND CLEAN UP
FOR THE POTLUCK NEXT WEEKEND TO

CELEBRATE DEACON ANGUS

AFTER THE 11:45 MASS
SIGN UP AT THE WELCOME COUNTER



We will meet at 6:30pm, Thursday, June 24th, in the <u>McConnell Room</u>.

Contact Karen Linch at 823-0803 or Janet at the Parish office if you have questions or would like a prayer shawl for a friend or loved one.

Hope to see you there!!

KNIT. CROCHET. PRAY.

<i>June</i> 26-27	Altar Server	Holy Communion	Usher	Hospitality	Lector	Coordinator
Saturday 5 pm	Maria Pius Michelle Pius Samuel Warnecke	James Emmen Pius Jacob Lynn Grant-Yingling Ed Smith	Martin Fitzgerald Larry Meilleur Rudy Espinosa	Carol Hix Dorothy Killian Karen Linch Michelle Leon	Matthew Walters Marva Yandell	Tina Wharton
Sunday 9:00 am	Thai Pham Gabriel Ward Alexander Dunn	Zeela Snodgrass Noreen Valadez Anthony Galier Donna Galier Tony Darnell Tony Moreno	Jeffry Snodgrass Michael Varner Sandra Varner Robert Bussa	Dina Jones-Griggs Linda Darnell Mary Earing Elmer Goetz	William Orland Skip Ashworth	Martin Ortega
Sunday 11:45 am	Catherine Lay Rex Lillard Karlee Escobar	Randy Allford Ann Grover Hector Denis Deborah Friedt	Loren Harris Teresa Harris Jon Riva	Bentley Hedges Bonnie Hedges Maryann Shultz Richard Farmer	Claire Powell Brooke Beasley	Joseph Gibbons

WE ARE CLOSING THE GAP

Thanks so much to our good and faithful stewards who are coming through to close the gap between the last two fiscal years. With a little more than a month remaining in our fiscal year which began on July 1, 2020 and ends on June 30, 2021 we can still reach our goal. Now that the Archbishop has reinstated the Sunday Mass obligation, our attendance and contributions should continue to increase. We also received a request from the Archdiocese this past week to remind us that we are more than 25% below our ACA goal. We have contributed \$54K and our goal is more than \$70K. If you have the means to do so, closing this gap would also be greatly appreciated.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR COMPARISON						
Sacrifical Giving	679,047	682,602	3,555			
Charity	26,431	24,188	2,243			
Building Fund	100,596	73,584	27,012			
Other Income	52,301	<u>79,764</u>	<u>27,463</u>			
TOTAL	858,375	860,138	1,763			
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>698,764</u>	<u>780,041</u>	<u>81,277</u>			
NET INCOME	159,611	80,097	79,514			



ONE OF THE BEST WAYS WE CAN GROW TOGETHER AS A CHURCH FAMILY IS TO SERVE TOGETHER

WE ARE LOOKING FOR INDIVIDUALS CALLED TO BE

Altar Servers, Communion Ministers, Greeters, Ushers, & Readers of God's Word



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Altar Servers

Greeters

Eucharistic Ministers



Ushers



Serve the Lord with Gladness