THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

January 10, 2021

Mass Intentions

Tues.	6:30 A.M.	Deceased Members of the
		Buxkemper Family
Wed.	6:30 A.M.	Rosalie Harabis
	8:15 A.M.	Joe Janca
Thurs.	6:30 A.M.	Leona Hoermann
Fri.	6:30 A.M.	Norma Tuttle
Sat.	5 P.M.	James Moore
Sun.	7 A.M.	Parish Family <i>Pro Populo</i>
	9 A.M.	Living & Deceased Members of
		the Roller Family
	11 A.M.	Angelita Barrera

Sanctuary Candle Intention

St. Joseph Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Douglas & Edna Manning.

St. Ann Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Shirley Chumchal.

Prayer List

Contact Theresa Bordovsky at 293-3124 or Ann Marie Bludau at 798-2959.

This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Is 55:1-11; 1 Jn 5:1-9; Mk 1:7-11

Your Gift to God: January 1st

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St. Joseph Parish Support		\$1,127
St. Ann Parish Support		\$180

Your Gift to God: January 3rd

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May God reward your generosity!

Please Note: Confessions

Wednesday confessions will be heard from 5 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. On Saturdays confessions are available from 4 p.m. to 4:40 p.m.

"Behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world."

Liturgical Assignments

Lectors

Sat.	5 P.M.	Dawne Wendel
Sun.	7 A.M.	Diane Havlik
	9 A.M.	Mark Jemelka
	11 A.M.	Benita Maturino

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Sat.	5 P.M.	Carolyn Janak
Sun.	11 A.M.	Graciela Rivas

Ushers/Hospitality

Sat.	5 P.M.	Bobby & Gladys Jiral,
		Charlie Proschko, Debbie Caka
Sun.	7 A.M.	Tom & Bruce Chilek
	9 A.M.	Robbie Hagan, Allan Migl,
		Glenn & Darlene Renken
	11 A.M.	Jorge & Elsa Resendiz,
		Gerardo Rivas, Jose Martinez

Servers

Sun.	7 A.M.	Wyatt Wiederhold, Zachary Raz
	9 A.M.	Tyler & Addison Ferry
	11 A.M.	Christian Rivas,
		Samantha Arrendondo

Reminder

Altar Servers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, and Ushers should wear masks when assigned. Ushers should also wear gloves. Masks are available in the Sacristy if needed.

Annual Contribution Statement

Those who would like a statement of their 2020 envelope support contributions should call the parish office at 293-3518.

Clase de Preparacion Bautismal

La clase de preparación bautismal será el primer Sabado, Enero 16, del mes a las 8:45 a.m. en el Salon Parroquial. Hable con Susanna Trujillo para mas información.

KC Meeting

The Knights of Columbus will meet Wednesday, January 13th at the K. C. building. Officers meet at 6:30 P.M. followed by the regular meeting at 7:30 P.M.

Faith Formation First Communion

CCD Faith Formation classes for First Communion will resume **Wednesday**, **January 13**, **2021**. Classes will be held in the Parish Family Center, 6:30-7:30 P.M.

Faith Formation - Confirmation

CCD Faith Formation classes for Confirmation will resume **Sunday, January 17, 2021**. Classes will be held in the Parish Family Center, 10-11 AM.

St. Joseph School Endowment Fund Stew Supper

The St. Joseph School Endowment Fund Stew Supper will be held **Wednesday**, **February** 3rd from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. at the Family Center.

Missalettes

Bring your missalettes with you from home and do not leave them in the church. The blue vinyl covers are still being collected by simply depositing them in the empty racks in church. The next "installment" will be in February. Extra Spanish Misal del Día are available (they last the entire year as they are only for Sunday readings) by simply asking the ushers. Again, even with these, it is important to bring/take home and not ask for a new one each time coming to Mass as there is only a limited number...and as you've heard previously...these annual subscriptions are a major expense for the parish family.



Homebound Communion

As a reminder, those who have been on the homebound Communion list as well as the Extraordinary Ministers who bring them the Sacrament are expected to discuss between the minister and the recipient if they desire to resume the At present, several of our homebound extraordinary ministers are exercising caution for their health as well as the homebound in opting not to resume the ministry just yet. The core issue must be the concern and precaution on both sides of the practice. In situations where someone would like to receive homebound Communion they are welcomed to contact the parish. An ideal situation would be to arrange for a family member/friend who is able and who frequents the home of the homebound to simply have a "quick" training and then commence weekly bringing the Sacrament. This is referencing long-term reception at home. In an emergency the Sacrament will be brought immediately when requested.

Hospital, Nursing Homes and Assisted Living Facilities

Again – as an exercise of precaution on everyone's part – the parish has not resumed bringing Holy Communion to these facilities. When the situation improves and access/visitation is "normalized," the practice will then begin.

Continuing Precautions

All are required to social distance, use hand sanitizer and practice good hygiene when coming to Mass. If you are feeling a bit under the weather (sneezing or coughing) it would best to remain at home until the situation improves. Our ushers (wearing masks and gloves) are already having to search for available spaces at certain Masses and have had to turn some away when the church is at capacity. Please be patient and understanding as having to turn anyone away is regrettable. By the way, on a related topic to the precautions, and if truly needed--then it is fine--but during the last month the usher's "supply" of gloves is being "cleaned out" on Sunday afternoons--even after the Masses are concluded and they are put in storage. If someone is in need of gloves or masks at home simply call the office and they'll be provided.



CDA Raffle Fundraiser

The Yoakum Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Our Lady of Guadalupe #206 is sponsoring their annual raffle fundraiser. Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00 and are available at the parish office or from any CDA member. Drawing will be held **January 31**st. Presence not necessary to win.

Raffle Prizes

Prize:	Donated By:
1. \$500 Gift Prize	CDA Court #206
2. \$300 Gift Prize	Anonymous
3. \$250 Gift Prize	Anonymous
4. \$225 Gift Prize	CDA Court #206 Members
5. \$200 Gift Ctf.	CDA Court #206 Members
6. \$125 HEB Card	CDA Court #206 Officers
7. \$100 VISA Card	Jerrie Kacir, Farm Bureau
8. \$100 HEB Card	Deacon Dennis Kutach
9. \$150 Gift Prize	CDA Court #206 Members
10. \$100 HEB Card	Mary McQuillen
11. Instant Pot	Dorothy Zabransky
12. \$100 Central Station	Georgia Kutach
Gift Card	
13. Gift Basket	Crossroads Bank
14. \$100 Handy Stop	JIB Enterprise
Nursery Gift Ctf.	
15. \$75 HEB Card	Raquel Gomez
16. \$75 Yoakum General	Jenny Heller
Store Gift Ctf.	
17. \$50 BLEU Gift Card	Pat & Amy Hull
18. \$40 HEB Card	Jacobs/Weber Insurance

Support Catholic Education

Catholic Life Insurance is sponsoring *We Love Catholic Schools* Sweepstakes and all proceeds from the sale of tickets benefit St. Joseph School.

Grand Prize Choice of:

2021 Ford F-150 Truck* **or** 2021 Ford Focus Sedan* **or** \$20,000 Prepaid Visa Credit Card *Or equivalent vehicle.

Participating School Prize:

Each participating school will have a \$1,000 prepaid Visa credit card individual winner drawn from tickets sold by their school.

Tickets are \$5.00 and may be purchased at the school or parish office. For more information contact the school office at 293-9000.

Deadline for purchasing tickets is January 29th.

A Note from Principal Mooney

Monday, January 11th Basketball at Pawnee – 5 P.M.

Wednesday, January 13th Mass – 8:15 A.M.

Monday, January 18th – No School Basketball at Faith Academy – Victoria – 5 P.M.

January 31st – February 5th Catholic Schools Week

