THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 22, 2023

Mass Intentions

Tues.	6:30 A.M.	Don Hoffmann
		St. Francis De Sales
Wed.	6:30 A.M.	Mark Zinke
		Conversion of St. Paul
	8:05 A.M.	Nancy Harvey
Thurs.	6:30 A.M.	Special Intention
		Sts. Timothy & Titus
Fri.	6:30 A.M.	Bill Lopez
Sat.	5 P.M.	John & Myron Patek
Sun.	7 A.M.	Living & Deceased Members of the Ebner & Suhr Families
	9 A.M.	Parish Family *Pro Populo*
	11 A.M.	Juan & Adan Navor

Sanctuary Candle Intention

St. Joseph Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Jimmy Joe Trojcak.

St. Ann Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of John & Florene Hybner.

Prayer List

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

This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Is 8:23—9:3; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23

Your Gift to God: January 15th

St. Joseph Parish Support	$4,050
Online Giving Parish Support	$2,238
Building Fund	$320
St. Ann Parish Support	$544
Online Giving Parish Support	$205
Building Fund	$60

May God reward your generosity!

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday 6:30 – 7:30 P.M.
Saturday 4:00 – 4:40 P.M.

"The Lord is my light and my salvation."

Liturgical Assignments

Lectors

Sat.	5 P.M.	Charles Kvinta
Sun.	7 A.M.	Nancy McNease
	9 A.M.	SJS Students
	11 A.M.	Benita Maturino

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Sat.	5 P.M.	Weston & Bethany Barton, Bea Welfl
Sun.	9 A.M.	Daniel & Janna Driskell
	11 A.M.	Susana Trujillo, Virginia Amaro, Pam Garza

Ushers/Hospitality

Sat.	5 P.M.	Charlie Proschko, Debbie Caka, Jeff Chancellor, Emil Blaschke
Sun.	7 A.M.	Dennis Kocian, Paul Ebner
	9 A.M.	Daniel Newman, Elorine Sitka, Randy Randazzo, Theresa Ferry
	11 A.M.	Jorge & Elsa Resendiz, Miguel Trujillo, Gerardo Rivas

Altar Servers

Sat.	5 P.M.	Erin F., Ilyanna P., Elliott C.
Sun.	7 A.M.	Nick & Samantha A.
	9 A.M.	Trevor M., Shooter L., Jace D.
	11 A.M.	Javier N., Jovanny & Jarely G.

La Iglesia en America Latina

La proxima semana relizaremos la Colecta para la Iglesia en America Latina. Por favor, en oracion, considere apoyar esta colecta, la cual ayuda a programas que fortalecen la fe en America Latina y el Caribe. Sus donativos ayudan a compartir la fe por medio de programas de capacitacion para laicos comprometidos, la catequesis, la formacion de seminaristas y religiosas y varios otros proyectos.

Dates to Remember

January 29th - February 3rd – Catholic Schools Week
January 29th – CDA Chicken Fried Steak Dinner
February 1st – Endowment Fund Stew Supper
February 11th – PTC Gala
February 12th – KC Super Bowl BBQ

This Monday!

Attend the **Lavaca Catholic Men's Gathering** every fourth Monday, at the Queen of Peace Family Life Center, in Sweet Home. Bishop Brendan Cahill will be the featured speaker at the inaugural event, **January 23rd**. Mass will begin at 6:30 p.m. in Queen of Peace Church, with the program to follow. Become a better disciple and enjoy fellowship and food with friends. Visit www.lavacacatholicmen.com or contact Robert Lewis 817-897-2678 for more details.

Special Collection

A special collection for the Church in Latin America will be taken up at all Masses next weekend, January 28-29. This collection assists programs that strengthen the faith in Latin America and the Caribbean. Your gifts help share the faith by providing lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation as well as other programs.

WAY Youth Group

The WAY Youth Group for all Sophmores, Juniors, Seniors and Recent Graduates will meet **Wednesday, February 1st** at the gym meeting room and pavilion from **6:00 to 7:00 p.m.**

St. Joseph School Endowment Fund Stew Supper

The St. Joseph School Endowment Fund Stew Supper will be held **Wednesday, February 1st from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. at the Family Center.**

Blessing of the Seed & Soil Celebration

Saturday, February 11th
10:00 A.M.
713 CR 202 – Ganado, TX.
Mass celebrated by Bishop Brendan Cahill

Feel free to bring a sampling of your crop or garden seeds along with a sampling of soil.

All are welcome to help celebrate this time of year!

Chicken Fried Steak Dinner Sponsored by Catholic Daughters Court No. 206

Sunday, January 29, 2023
10:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.
St. Joseph Family Center
Plates-To-Go or Dine-In
Tickets - $12.00 **"Pre-Sale Only"**
(Chicken Fried Steak, gravy, potatoes, seasoned green beans & cole slaw)

Meal tickets and raffle tickets are available at: St. Joseph Pastoral Center, St. Joseph School Office, Crossroads Bank, Yoakum National Bank, Prosperity Bank, CDA Members.

Homemade Noodles & Bake Sale Items will also be available for purchase.

Proceeds benefit CDA Charities

KC Super Bowl BBQ

The Yoakum Knights of Columbus, Council 1582, are sponsoring their annual Super Bowl BBQ fundraiser:

Sunday, February 12th
Pork steak, pinto beans and giblet rice
Served from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Yoakum Community Center.
Plates-to-go only.
Tickets are $12.00
Proceeds benefit the
Knights of Columbus charities.

Tickets may be purchased at Crossroads Bank, Yoakum National Bank, St. Joseph Pastoral Center, or any KC member.

Any and all members willing and able to assist are welcomed to join in the fun of preparing this wonderful BBQ meal for our patrons. For those wanting to help and for more information plan to attend the monthly meeting on March 8th at 6:30 p.m.

Annual Contribution Statement

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

"The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light."

Support Catholic Education

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

Grand Prize Choice of:
Roman Holiday Vacation for Four* **or**
2023 Toyota Corolla 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 25th. Drawing will be held February 14th.

Tickets may be purchased at the school office or at the Pastoral Center.

36th Annual Candlelight March for Life

Join in celebrating the reversal of Roe v Wade and supporting the pro-life movement going forward.

Participants will gather at DeLeon Plaza at 6:30 p.m. this **Thursday, January 26th** and proceed to Our Lady of Sorrows at 7:00 p.m. Participants are encouraged to bring a flashlight and rosary for the procession. Those not able to walk can meet at the church.

Guest speaker: Heather Gardner, Director of Central Texas Coalition for Life.

Hosted by the St. Gianna Beretta Molla Pro-Life Ministry and Our Lady of Sorrows.

All Denominations Welcome

BE A MAN
BE A SAINT

The 2023 Men's Conference will take place on **February 25th** at Holy Family Catholic Church in Victoria. Early bird registration through January is $35 per person. Register 5 and get the 6th free. Go online to register: www.victoriadiocese.org.

A Note from Principal Mooney

Wednesday, January 25th
Mass – 8:05 A.M.
Boys Basketball vs St. Philip – El Campo 5:00 p.m.

Substitute Teachers Needed
Inquire at the School Office at 361-293-9000 for more information.

If interested in sending your child(ren) to St. Joseph School, please stop by the school office and speak to Mr. Mooney. Take a tour of the school and learn more about what St. Joseph School has to offer.

You are cordially invited to the
22nd Annual St. Joseph School PTC Gala

Enchanted Evening

Saturday, February 11, 2023
5:30 P.M. to 12 Midnight
Yoakum Community Center
$75 Per Ticket
Only 300 Tickets Sold
Tickets available at the school and parish offices

Cocktail Hour & Dinner – Mystery Key Drawing
Live & Silent Auctions
Texas Hold'em & Blackjack
52 Card Gun Draw
Dancing with
Justin Cooper Band

All Proceeds Directly Benefit SJS

Christian Unity Prayer

Gracious Father, we pray to you for your Holy Catholic Church. Fill it with your truth. Keep it in your peace. Where it is corrupt, reform it. Where it is in error, correct it. Where it is right, defend it. Where it is in want, provide for it. Where it is divided, reunite it; for the sake or your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

"Let there be no divisions among you. Be united in the same mind and in the same purpose."
1 Corinthians 1:10

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 29th**. Presence not necessary to win.

Raffle Prizes

Prize:	Donated By:
1. $500 Gift Prize	CDA Court #206
2. $300 Gift Prize	Anonymous
3. $300 Gift Prize	Anonymous
4. $275 Gift Prize	CDA Court #206 Members
5. $225 Gift Prizw	CDA Court #206 Members
6. $150 HEB Card	CDA Court #206 Members
7. Handmade Rosary	Sue Munsch & CDA Member
8. $125 HEB Card	CDA Court #206 Officers
9. $120 Our Lady of Guadalupe Necklace Charm	The Muddy Pig
10. $100 HEB Card	Mary McQuillen
11. $100 General Store Gift Card	Jenny Heller
12. $100 Gift Certificate	Turquois Cactus
13. $100 Floor Lamp w/ Reading Light	Anonymous
14. $100 Handy Stop Nursery Gift Ctf.	JIB Enterprise, James & Irma Chomout
15. $100 Visa Card	Deacon Dennis Kutach
16. $75 HEB Card	Raquel Gomez
17. $75 Light-up Nativity Snow Globe	Yoakum General Store
18. $50 Bleu Gift Card	Pat & Amy Hull
19. $50 HEB Card	Jacobs/Weber Insurance

For the Sick

O God, your Son accepted our sufferings to teach us the virtue of patience in human illness. Hear the prayers we offer for our sick brothers and sisters. May all who suffer pain, illness or disease realize that they are chosen to be saints, and know that they are joined to Christ in his suffering for the salvation of the world, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

"I consider that the sufferings of this present time are as nothing compared with the glory to be revealed for us."

Romans 8:18

Yoakum Knights of Columbus 18th Annual Sportsman's Giveaway

Tickets for the Yoakum Knights of Columbus 18th Annual Sportsman's Giveaway are available at the Pastoral Center or from any KC member. There are a total of 30 prizes to be given away. Tickets are $10.00 each or 3 for $25.00. Drawing will be held at the monthly KC meeting on March 8th.

Prize:

1. **Remington 700 SPS 6.5 CM**
2. **Lew's Custom Inshore CI300 Spinning Reel**
3. **SCCY CPX1 9mm**
4. **Case Knife**
5. **Shimano Curado DC Baitcast Reel**
6. **6 ft. Metal/Wood Picnic Table**
7. **Management Deer Hunt (Doe or Spike)**
8. **Savage Axis 22-250 with 3-9x40 Scope**
9. **Magallen Outdoors Pro Explore 35qt. Cooler**
10. **$200 Yoakum General Store Gift Card**
11. **Hand Made Knife**
12. **TriStar Cobra III Pump 20ga**
13. **Vortex Crossfire HD 12x50 Binoculars**
14. **500 lbs. Deer Corn**
15. **$100 Jacobs Processing Gift Card**
16. **Savage Axis 25-06**
17. **Ruger 10/22 .22LR**
18. **Shimano Curado Baitcast Reel**
19. **$100 Academy Gift Card**
20. **Rossi Rio Bravo 22 Lever Action**
21. **Traditions Buckstalker XT .50cal Muzzleloader**
22. **Game Winner Meat Tenderizer & Jerky Slicer**
23. **Lew's American Hero Spinning Rod & Reel Combo**
24. **ForEverLast 50lb Tail Gate Feeder**
25. **$100 Gift Certificate to Yoakum Farm Pac**
26. **Winchester SXP 12ga**
27. **500 lbs. Deer Corn**
28. **$100 Jacobs Processing Gift Card**
29. **Iver Johnson 12ga pump**
30. **Ruger Amerian 7mm-08**

***ALL WINNERS OF FIREARMS MUST PASS ALL REQUIRED FEDERAL REGULATIONS AND BACKGROUND CHECK AND PICK UP GUN WITHIN 60 DAYS OR PRIZE WILL BE FORFEITED.**

****GUNS PURCHASED THROUGH BROTHER KNIGHT SEAN MOONEY.**

Need Not Be Present To Win