

#### Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

March 2, 2025

Every tree is known by its own fruit. For people do not pick figs from thorn bushes, nor do they gather grapes from brambles.

-Luke 6:44



ON LINE DONATING

Weekly Offering - Feb. 23, 2025: Loose \$1,993.52 Envelopes: \$1,652.00 Total: \$2,645.52

Feb. 16, 2025: Total \$2,647.57

Saturday, March 1, 2025 5:00PM

† PRAXEDIS GUERRA by Mitchel Garza

† PETRA PEREZ (13th Anniv) by Danny & Imelda Perez

† RAMON F. GARCIA (55th Anniv) by Danny & Imelda Perez

† ARNOLD OLVERA (20th Anniv) by mom & family

Sunday, March 2, 2025
7:00 A. M.

1 JUAN OSCAR GONZALEZ by M/Mrs Simon Saenz
1 MANUEL H. MUNIZ by Tina Oaks & family

## 9:00 A.M.

**† CELINA (SALLY) GONZALEZ** by The Class of 1992 **† DIANA SENDEJO** by Kookie Gutierrez

## 11:30 A.M.

† EXIQUIO, DOLORES & RUDY PEREZ by family † OMAR VIDAL by Idolina H. Villarreal † MOISES PEREIDA (2nd Anniv) by family † ROMAN ESCOBAR (Birth. Mass) by Escobar family

## 7:00 P.M.

† SAN JUANA MORIN (Anniv. Mass) by Benji & Elbia Morin † CONNIE B. ZAMORA (20th Anniv) by family † LUIS HERNANDEZ JR. (1st Anniv) by wife & family † ALBA LOPEZ MORENO by son Noe E. Moreno

Tuesday, March 4

**† DIONICIO 'NICHO' ARREDONDO** by M/M Martin Solis

Wed. March 5 Ash Wednesday

7:00AM

**† MARTHA VALERIO** by Al Longoria & Angela Saenz

12 Noon

**† ADRIANA ELIZONDO** by Tina Oaks & family

6:00PM

**† ZULEMA R. VELA** by M/M Rogelio Vela

**† ALBERTO 'THIRD' AGUILAR III** by M/M Prax Guerra

Thurs. March 6

**1 J.M. RODRIGUEZ** by Noe E. Moreno

Friday, March 7

**† DIANA SENDEJO** by Evangelina Pena

Saturday, March 8, 2025 5:00PM

**† DAVID M. GARCIA** by Noe Valdez & Annette Perez

Sunday, March 9, 2025

7:00 A. M.

**† LORENZO N. GARCIA** by Cleme & Rosie Garza **† JUAN OSCAR GONZALEZ** by Beatrice Gonzalez & Joyce Garcia

9:00 A.M.

† CELINA (SALLY) GONZALEZ by Class of 1992 † JUAN EVERETT (Birth. Mass) by wife, Esther & family

11:30 A.M.

† CELINA 'SALLY' GONZALEZ by Cora Castillo † JOSE 'QUIDI' LAZO by Rolando & Adriana Perez

7:00 P.M.

**1 HUMBERTO MORIN JR.** (Birth. Mass) by Humberto Morin Sr. & family

**† CARMEN ARRIOLA** (7th Anniv) by husband, Victor Arriola

### **LECTOR'S SCHEDULE**

Saturday, 03/08/2025

5:00 P.M. Israel Barrera

Sunday, 03/09/2025

7:00 A.M Leo Ibarra

9:00 A.M. David Stansell

11:30 A.M. Student Reader

7:00 P. M. Sally Lichtenberger

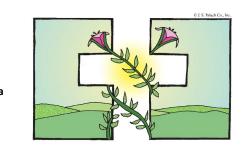
PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Pope Francis, Alejo C. Garcia, Matthew Prax Guerra, Madalia Raeann Morin, Elena Garcia, John Turner, Isabel Hernandez, E. B. Garcia, Arcadia Salazar, Donna Ann Salinas, Rosa Soliz, Alex Hernandez, Juan Garcia, Jr., Angelina (China) Perez, Viola Soliz, Rosa Emma Salinas, Candice Marie Benavides, Juanita T. Saenz, Roel Olvera, Russel Cross, Elizabeth Munoz, Elenor Farfaglia

\* The new prayer list will be made every 6 months; In July and in February. If you need someone to be added to the prayer list, call the staff at the office.

# ST. JOSEPH MISSION



# PALITO BLANCO, TEXAS



Oscar Garcia/Mission Council President
Meetings held on last Thursday of the month at 7:00 P.M. Elva
G. Garcia, President Altar & Rosary Society. Meetings held on
the first Sunday of the month after 5:00 PM Mass

Weekly Offering - Feb. 23 , 2025 : Loose: \$ 81.00 Envelope: \$ 85.00 Total: \$ 166.00

Mass intentions for Sunday, March 2, 2025 at 5:00 PM † DALIA M. GARCIA by Gloria F. Munoz † BERTA G. RODRIGUEZ by Tina Ramos † ESMERALDA L. GARCIA by Isabel Garcia & family † AMANDO CADENA by Zoila Cadena & family

Mass intentions for Sunday, March 9, 2025 at 5:00 PM † ARNOLDO CADENA by Gloria Cadena & family † CELIA G. RANGEL by Gloria Cadena † AMANDO CAENA by Agapito Luna & family

## **MEETINGS AND OTHER INFORMATION**

Catholic Daughters of America: Meetings every 1st Tuesday of each month after 6:00 PM Mass at the Parochial Hall.

Altar Rosary Society: Meetings every 2nd Tuesday of each month after 6:00 PM Mass at the Parochial Hall.

Knights of Columbus: Meeting every 2nd Tuesday of each month at 6:30 PM at the CCD Bldg.

Mutualistas: Meet quarterly on the 1st Sunday of each month starting in January.

Women of Grace: Meetings on Mondays at 6:00 PM at the Parochial Hall. All women ages 18 and up are welcome to join.

**Bible Study:** Wednesday at 7:00 PM. For parishioners 18 years and up.

CCD After School Program: Elective after school program on Wednesdays from 5:00PM till 5:45PM for religion students 2nd grade

and up.

Mass Intentions: All mass intentions must be requested two weeks prior to the date of that mass.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Ash Wednesday is Wednesday, March 5. There will be no 4:00PM and 7:00PM classes. However, **all** Wednesday religion students are to ATTEND the 6:00PM Mass and sign in. Please be here by 5:45PM and enter quietly due to the reciting of the rosary.
- Mutualistas Pork Steak Sale at the Parochial Hall on March 9, 2025 starting at 11:00AM—2:00 PM.
- VFW Post 8931 will be having a Fish Fry on Friday, March 7 from 11:00AM till 2:00PM. Donation per plate is \$10.00.
- Many thanks to Carol Rumore the president of the Bruno Rumore Foundation of Birmingham, Alabama for a \$20,000 grant. Recent grants, donations, and fundraisers are being used to offset the costs for church campus repairs and upgrades which have now been completed. During the month of March, Fr. James will provide a financial report and what needs to happen each year in order for us to maintain a financially sustainable parish. Thank you for all of your support and hard Work.

# TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading**— One's speech shows the bent of one's mind. Praise no one before he or she speaks

**Psalm**—Lord, it is good to give thanks to you (Psalm 92).

**Second Reading**—We are given victory over death through Jesus. In the Lord our labor is not in vain (1Corinthians 15:54-59).

**Gospel**—A good person produces good, an evil person produces evil. The mouth speaks from the goodness of the heart (Luke 6:39-45).

# **SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday:** Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Katherine Drexel, Virgin

Tuesday: St. Casimir

Wednesday: Ash Wednesday

**Friday:** Friday after Ash Wednesday; First Friday of the

Month

<sup>\*</sup> If you are going to have surgery, please feel free to come by the rectory and receive the sacrament "the anointing of the sick".