



THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERTORY COLLECTION	\$ 8,158.36
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION COLLECTIONS	\$ 1,311.00
RETIRED RELIGIOUS FUND COLLECTION	\$ 1,566.00
GRUPO DE ORACIÓN	\$ 129.50

WANT to help DECORATE our CHURCH for CHRISTMAS???



Wednesday - December 20 - 6:45 pm

Volunteers are needed to help set up the Christmas Trees and Nativity scene.

Text or call Lynne Machac for information 979-561-6702

PARISH SECRETARY OPENING

We are looking to hire a full-time parish administrative assistant. Anyone interested should inquire at the office.

NO CCD THIS WEEK

No CCD sessions on December 20th, December 27th, or January 3rd for the Christmas holiday. All CCD personnel wish our students and families a blessed Christmas!

CCD CATECHIST NEEDED

We are in need of a 1st grade CCD teacher to finish this school year. Please contact Nicole Michalke (979-743-5617) if you are willing to help.

ENCOUNTER YOUTH MINISTRY

6TH ANNUAL PRO-LIFE SERVICE PROJECT

The youth group will be collecting much needed items for Fayette and Colorado County chapters of the Gabriel Project of the crossroads who help moms in unplanned pregnancy situations. A list of items can be found on and near the collection box in the back of the church.



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Cara Seay · Lois Demel · Connor Machicek · Doris Anders · Luke Friedel · Guadalupe DeJesus · Scott Spence · David Taylor · Evelyn Meyer · Pat Christ · Lillian Orsak · Jeanine

Ulrich · James Stanzel · Carrie Korenek · Eleanor Maerz · David Brown · David Melnar · Lloyd Schwenke · Denis Ermis · Craig Hudec · Georgie Moretz · Betty Onheiser Miksch · Clara Clark · Mary Bargas · Carolyn Moore · Viola Hartensteiner · Betty Jo Raabe · Frances Bernardic · Carol Rektorik · Sandra Mendel · ill priests of the diocese · those in nursing homes · the homebound.

ADVENT CONFESSION SCHEDULE DECEMBER 18-22

- After Morning Mass (for 1 hour)
- 12 noon - 1 pm
- 5 pm - 5:45 pm

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

CHRISTMAS EVE – Sunday, December 24th

- * 5:00 pm – St. Rose -Children's Mass
- * 5:30 pm – Ammannsville
- * 10:00 pm – St. Rose
- * 12 midnight – High Hill



CHRISTMAS DAY – Monday, December 25th

- * 8:00 am – St. Rose
- * 8:30 am – Holman
- * 10:00 am – St. Rose – *Spanish Mass*
- * 10:15 am – High Hill

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD MONDAY, JANUARY 1

On this feast day we honor the Blessed Virgin Mary's motherhood of Jesus Christ, Son of God.



Since January 1 falls on a Monday this year, the obligation to attend Mass has been lifted. However, we are all encouraged to start our New Year under the protection of Mary.

St. Rose will hold a Mass for this Solemnity on Monday, January 1 at 9:00 am. There will be no other Masses that day, nor will there be a Vigil Mass on Sunday evening.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSURE

The parish office will close at 12 noon on Friday, December 22nd and will remain closed until Tuesday, January 2nd at 8:00am.

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel!

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Upcoming Parish Events

December 11-22 - Advent Confessions
December 25 - Christmas Day!

- **Men's prayer group** - every Friday, 6 am, Schulenburg Hall
- **Morning Grace** - (women's bible study/prayer group) every Thursday after the 8:10 am Mass in the Family Life Center
- **Flame of Love prayer group** - every Tuesday in Church, after the 6 pm Mass in Church, in front of the statue of Mary

2024 CATHOLIC LIFE SWEEPSTAKES

St. Rose School families are selling Catholic Life Sweepstakes tickets for \$5 each. All monies go directly to our school. The grand prize is the choice of a Roman Holiday Vacation for Four or a \$20,000 prepaid VISA card. Second prize is a \$2,500 prepaid VISA card. Also, someone from St. Rose will win a \$1,000 prepaid VISA Card! Tickets are on sale until January 22nd and are also available at the school and parish offices.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS COURT ST. ROSE #1597

December Circle of Love Project

CDA Court St. Rose offers thanks for your generous support for Fayette County Deputy Santa in November. For December the CDA is collecting gifts for the Rainbow Room, which provides emergency resources to children connected to Child Protective Services. They need diapers, car seats, school supplies, formula, personal hygiene items, toys and children's books, new clothing, household cleaning supplies. Monetary gifts and gift cards are also accepted. Any gift card donations should be brought to the Parish Office. For more information, see the Rainbow Room website: https://www.dfps.state.tx.us/Child_Protection/Rainbow_Rooms/

DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL 2023

Parish Assessment	\$51,197.00
Parishioner Contributions	<u>\$27,185.00</u>
Balance Owed (as of Nov 27th)	\$24,012.00

Thanks to the 79 parishioners who have already contributed.

Please help St. Rose meet our assessment for 2023.

If you need a donation card, please contact the parish office.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY DECEMBER 16

4:00 pm Confessions
5:00 pm Mark Henneke †

SUNDAY DECEMBER 17

7:30 am Edwin & Edna Venghaus †
10:00 am William & Anna Herzik & Family †
12:00 pm* Hermegildo Guerrero †

MONDAY DECEMBER 18

7:45 am Jim & Anna Joyce Masek †
6:00 pm Frank & Del Barta †

TUESDAY DECEMBER 19

7:45 am Hilda Baca & Paul Veselka †
5:00 pm Adoration/Confessions
6:00 pm Rubin & Lillian Kalich †

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 20

7:45 am Bob Hansen †
6:00 pm Eileen Berckenhoff †

THURSDAY DECEMBER 21

8:10 am Kenneth Wagner †
5:00 pm Confessions
6:00 pm Kassie Riha †

FRIDAY DECEMBER 22

7:45 am Maria Felix Rodriguez †
6:00 pm Lorene Narendorf, Bruce Gillings Jr., & Ryan Gillings †

SATURDAY DECEMBER 23

4:00 pm Confessions
5:00 pm Special Intentions †

SUNDAY DECEMBER 24 - 4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

7:30 am Ermin & Ovella Stuchly †
10:00 am Joe & Maxine Vyvjala †
12:00 pm* Emmanuel Herrera, Christopher Herrera, & Natalia Sanchez

SUNDAY DECEMBER 24 - CHRISTMAS EVE

5:00 pm Wanda Stanzel †
10:00 pm James Prihoda †

MONDAY DECEMBER 25 - CHRISTMAS

8:00 am Ginger Bosl †
10:00 am* Gregoria Tello & Maria Martinez †

** Spanish Mass*

ST. ROSE MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

Fourth Sunday of Advent

The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)

	Saturday, December 23	Sunday, December 24	Sunday, December 24	Sunday, December 24	Sunday, December 24	Sunday, December 24	Monday, December 25
	5:00 PM	7:30 AM	10:00 AM	5:00 PM	10:00 PM	8:00 AM	
ROSARY LEADERS	Phyllis Venghaus	KC Members	Jeanette Treybig	Christmas Carols	Christmas Carols	Christmas Carols	
LECTORS	Eamon McCourt	NEED VOLUNTEER	NEED VOLUNTEER	Chris Hooper	Gladys Kutac	Karey Ann Kalich	
EMOHC	Kenneth Miksch	NEED VOLUNTEER	NEED VOLUNTEER	Barbara Brown Mason Florus DeeAnn Hooper Dana Hartensteiner	Adela Luksovsky Pat Proske Kenneth Miksch	Clara Clark	
ALTAR SERVERS	Holden Holub ** NEED VOLUNTEER**	NEED VOLUNTEER	NEED VOLUNTEER	Cate Hooper ** NEED VOLUNTEER** ** NEED VOLUNTEER**	Allan Ballard Destani Brown ** NEED VOLUNTEER**	Allan Ballard ** NEED VOLUNTEER** ** NEED	
USHERS	Melvin Klesel Ralph Kalina *VOLUNTEER NEEDED* *VOLUNTEER NEEDED*	NEED VOLUNTEERS	NEED VOLUNTEERS	Jim Brown NEED VOLUNTEERS	NEED VOLUNTEERS	NEED VOLUNTEERS	