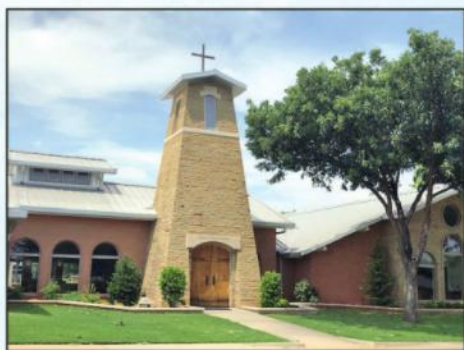




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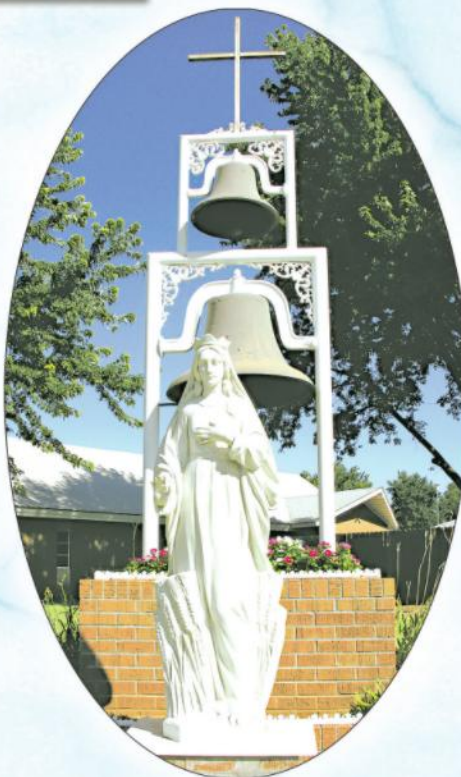
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MASS SCHEDULE

Mass in Clinton
English

Saturday-5:00 p.m.
Sunday-10:30 a.m.

Spanish
Sunday-1:00 p.m.

Mass in Cordell
Sunday-8:30 a.m.

RECONCILIATION in Clinton

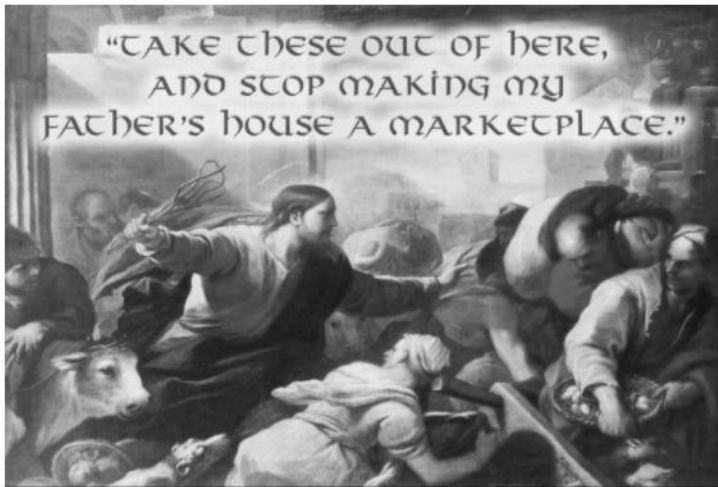
Saturday 4:30 p.m.
or by appointment

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QUINCEAÑERAS
Contact the church office six
months prior to the event

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Masses for the Week

Monday, Mar. 8th	12:00pm	No Mass
Tuesday, Mar. 9th	12:00pm	For the repose of the soul of Bruce Hubbard.....(Kimber Hubbard)
Wednesday, Mar. 10th	6:30pm	Penance Rite
Thursday, Mar. 11th	12:00pm	For the repose of the soul of Mary Kaye Engle.....(Ed Reiter)
Friday, Mar. 12th	12:00pm	For the repose of the soul of Donna Mae Reiter.....(Ed Reiter)
Saturday, Mar. 13th	5:00pm	For the repose of the soul of Samuel Cockerham.....(Mike Lewis)
Sunday, Mar. 14th	8:30am	Cordell St. Anne For the Parish
	10:30am	For the repose of the soul of John McCauley.....(Ed Reiter)
	1:00pm	For the Parish

Readings for the Week of March 7, 2021

Monday	Saint John of God, Religious
	2 Kgs 5:1-15; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3-4; Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday	Saint Frances of Rome, Religious
	Dn 3:25-43; Ps 25:4-9; Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday	Dt 4:1-9; Ps 147:12-20; Mt 5:17-19
Thursday	Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-9; Lk 11:14-23
Friday	Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6-17; Mk 12:28-34
Saturday	Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-21; Lk 18:9-14
Sunday	Fourth Sunday of Lent 2 Chr 36:14-23; Ps 137:1-6; Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21



St. Mary's

Needed Weekly	\$3,500.00
Regular Collection	\$2,405.00
Religious Education	\$340.00

St. Anne's

Regular Collection	\$1,415.00
Religious Education	\$81.00

SECOND COLLECTION

Second collection on March 14 is for St. Vincent de Paul.

SEGUNDA COLECTA

Segunda colecta del 14 Marzo es para San Vicente de Pablo.

ST. MARY'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE

	5:00 pm
March 13th	Lector: Donna Rother Comm: Ann Brown CM: Ann Jacobson Servers: No Altar Servers Ushers: Bob Burkitt Bob Jacobson Kary Schneberger
March 14th	10:30am Lector: Emma Hernandez Comm: Colleen Powers CM: Bernie Fuentez Servers: No Altar Servers Ushers: Tim Burns Lynn Maloy Edwin Reiter
	1:00pm Lectors: Grissel Martinez Comm: Laura Soto CMS: Rosa Ramirez Marina Gutierrez Servers: No Altar Servers Ushers: Jose Martinez Alfonso Hernandez Juan Carlos Gonzalez

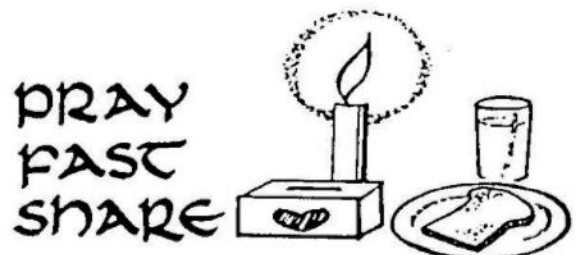
Coming Events

Wed., Mar. 10th	Penance Rite at 6:30pm.
Fri., Mar. 12th	DriveThru Lenten Fish Fry 5:00pm-8:00pm. Stations of the Cross English 6:00pm – Knights of Columbus Spanish 6:45pm – Coro Agua Viva
Sun., Mar. 14th	Daylight Saving Time Begins.

Wear a mask and Keep your distance.
Remember your hand sanitizer.

Anyone that is unable to attend mass can watch
Daily and Weekend Masses on Facebook Live.
Make donations to St. Mary's and St. Anne's at
<http://stmarysclintonok.org/donations>.

Recuerda usar tu mascara y Mantén tu distancia.
Recuerda usar tu desinfectante para manos.
Cualquiera que no pueda asistir a misa puede ver
misas diarias y de fin de semana Facebook Vivo.
Para hacer donaciones a St. Mary's en
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Sunday Theme

Today's readings from Holy Scripture teach us that Lent is the ideal time to clean out the Temple of our own hearts and to offer to God proper Divine worship by obeying the Ten Commandments. They also teach us that our *New Covenant* with God demands that we should keep our parish Church holy and our Divine worship vibrant by our active participation in the liturgy with hearts cleansed by repentance and holy by allowing the Holy Spirit to control our hearts and lives.

Las lecturas de hoy de la Sagrada Escritura nos enseñan que la Cuaresma es el momento ideal para limpiar el Templo de nuestro propio corazón y ofrecer a Dios la adoración Divina adecuada obedeciendo los Diez Mandamientos. También nos enseñan que nuestra *Nueva Alianza* con Dios exige que debemos mantener santa nuestra Iglesia parroquial y nuestra adoración Divina vibrante por nuestra participación activa en la liturgia con corazones limpios por el arrepentimiento y santo permitir que Espíritu Santo controle nuestro corazón y nuestra vida.

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Drought has become a big problem in El Salvador, it is difficult for farmers to produce enough crops for their families. Young farmers and new techniques are making a difference. What would you do if your livelihood was threatened? How can you support young people in your community?

SOSTENIBILIDAD EN EL SALVADOR

La sequía se ha convertido en un gran problema en El Salvador, es difícil para agricultores producir suficientes cultivos sus familias. Jóvenes agrícolas y nuevas técnicas están marcando la diferencia. ¿Qué harías si te amenazaran con tu sustento? ¿Cómo puedes apoyar a los jóvenes de tu comunidad?

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Pray for the Sick

These are people with ongoing illnesses that need our prayers for strength and endurance.

Vicki Snowberger	Charlotte Kreizenbeck	Joe Ferrero
Richard Sprong	Renard Rosenhagen	Paulette Cox
Hatsuko Fuentez	Eddie Henderson	Wanda Rizzi
Mechelle Hohnke	Collin McPherson	Julie Mills
Edgar Balderas Sr.	Landon Weeks	Kayli Owenby
Richard Crawford	Victoria García	Marie Pool
Ela Louise Adams	Jesus Mendoza	Janet Billings
Trey McDonald	Esmeralda Perez	Josh Spitz
Enrique Hernández	Jennifer Mulkey	Melba Green
Susan LaFontaine	Henry Frizzel	Lindsay Ayers
Vickie Dudgeon	Melanie Solik	Dario Nunez
Joe Schneberger	Maria Moncada	Rita Guzman
Daren Schneberger	Wanda Rizzi	Carolyn Morey
Donna McLaughlin	Adriana McLain	

All those who suffer from cancer and other devastating diseases.

From the Pastor's Desk

Today's first reading teaches us that the Ten Commandments are the basis of our religious and spiritual life.

Instead of restricting our freedom the Commandments really help us to love and respect our God and our neighbors.

Today's Gospel gives us the dramatic account of Jesus' cleansing the Temple of its merchants and moneychangers, followed by a prediction of his death and Resurrection.

The synoptic Gospels place the "cleansing of the Temple" immediately after Jesus' triumphant arrival in Jerusalem on the back of a colt on Palm Sunday,

while John places it at the beginning of his Gospel.

Jesus cleansed the Temple which King Herod began to renovate in 20BC.

The abuses which kindled the prophetic indignation of Jesus were the conversion of God's Temple into a "noisy marketplace" by the animal merchants and into a "hideout of thieves" by the moneychangers, sacrilege in God's Holy Place.

Jesus' reaction to this commercialized Faith was fierce.

Since no weapons were allowed inside the Temple,

Jesus had to construct his own weapon, a whip of cords to drive out the merchants and moneychangers from the Court of the Gentiles.



La primera lectura de hoy nos enseña que los Diez Mandamientos son la base nuestra vida religiosa y espiritual.

En lugar de restringir nuestra libertad los Mandamientos realmente ayudan a amar y respetar a nuestro Dios y prójimo. El Evangelio de hoy nos da el relato dramático de cómo Jesús

limpió el Templo de sus comerciantes y cambistas, seguido de una predicción de su muerte y Resurrección. Los evangelios sinópticos sitúan la "limpieza del Templo" inmediatamente después de la llegada triunfal de Jesús a Jerusalén en lomos de un potrillo el Domingo de Ramos, mientras que Juan lo coloca al comienzo de su Evangelio.

Jesús limpió el Templo que el Rey Herodes comenzó a renovar hace 20AC.

Los abusos que encendieron la profética indignación de Jesús fueron la conversión del Templo de Dios en un

"mercado ruidoso" por los comerciantes de animales y en un "escondite de ladrones" por el cambio monetario, sacrilegio en el Lugar Santo de Dios.

La reacción de Jesús a esta Fe comercializada fue feroz.

Como no se permitían armas en el interior del Templo, Jesús tuvo que construir su propia arma, un látigo de cuerdas para expulsar a los comerciantes y cambistas de la Corte de los Gentiles.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Bala



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