



St. Joseph Catholic Church

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Mass Times

Friday Mass of the day 5:30 pm **Saturday:** 3:15 - 3:45 pm
Saturday Mass at 4:00 pm before Mass
Sunday Mass at 10:30 am
Sunday Mass in Spanish 2:00 pm
Domingo Misa en Español 2:00 pm



Rosary Schedule

Saturday Rosary: 3:30 pm to 3:50 pm
 Private prayer: 3:50 pm to 4:00 pm



Sunday Rosary 10:00 am to 10:20 am
 Private prayer: 10:20 to 10:30 am
 Rosario 1:30 pm (Spanish - Español)

Friday Silent Rosary at 5:00 pm

MINISTRIES SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEKEND HORARIO DE LOS MINISTERIOS PARA EL PRÓXIMO FIN DE SEMANA

**Saturday, September 11th
 4:00 pm**

Lector: Monica Hinckley
EM: Homer Sanchez

**Sunday, September 12th
 10:30 am**

Lector: Judy Uherek
EM: Janie Garza

**Domingo, 12 de Septiembre
 2:00 pm**

Lector: Janet Alvarez Segura
ME: Lupita Morales



WEEKLY COLLECTION/ COLECTA SEMANAL

Past Weekend Collection: \$ 1,445.00 **Vigil Stand:** \$ 40.00
Colecta de fin de semana anterior

Total Collected for the Month of August: \$ 7,667.00
Colecta total para el mes de Agosto

Monthly Goal: \$7,800.00
Meta mensual



Thank you for your generosity! Gracias por su generosidad!

Mass Intentions

Saturday September 4th For Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious
Sunday September 5th † Juanita Torrez
Domingo 5 de Septiembre Para feligresis de parroquias de San Jose y Santa Trinidad
Friday September 10th Michael Frnka
Saturday September 11th Fr. Wayne Flagg
Sunday September 12th Parishioners of St. Joseph Parish
Domingo 12 de Septiembre Feligresis de parroquia de San Jose

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND: Por favor oren por los enfermos y los que estan en casa:



Prayer Requests

Liandro Cedillo, Maria Mutis, Marcie Rivera, Lucy Menchaca, Frank Martinez, Tammi Pinter, Pablo Macareno, Jody Lopez, Andrea Lopez, Samuel Martinez, Casimiro Martinez, Kyla Rasch, Ruben Avalos, Dora Ramon, Heraclio Avalos, Virginia Avalos, Adan Moreno, Leslie Melghem, John Martinez, Mona Caswell, Frances Bode, Michael Frnka, Celedonio Segura, Fr. Wayne Flagg, Apolinar Arteaga

CHURCH POTLUCK / COMIDA PARROQUIAL

Join us for a Church Potluck on **Sunday, September 19th after the 10:30 am Mass**. Please bring a covered dish to share! For more information please contact the Parish Office.

Únase a nosotros para **una comida parroquial el domingo 19 de septiembre después de la misa de las 10:30 am**. ¡Por favor, traiga un plato cubierto para compartir! Para obtener más información, comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial.



Catholic Social Teaching Corner

Sept. 4-5 – 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ephphatha! As we open our eyes to see, and open our ears to hear, we will notice people around us suffering from homelessness, poverty, inadequate health care and joblessness. The Gospel story reminds us not only to remember those on the peripheries, but also to open our hearts — reaching out to them in humble service.

Sept 4-5 -- 23ero Domingo Del Tiempo Ordinario

!Ephphatha! Mientras que abrimos nuestros ojos para ver, y nuestros oídos para escuchar, nos daremos cuenta de que la gente alrededor de nosotros está sufriendo por falta de un hogar, por pobreza, por falta de cuidado de la salud adecuado y de trabajo. La historia del Evangelio nos recuerda que no solo debemos recordar a aquellos en la periferia, sino también debemos abrir nuestros corazones - alcanzándolos en el servicio humilde.

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Saint Teresa of Calcutta Saint of the Day for September 5 (August 26, 1910 - September 5, 1997)



Mother Teresa of Calcutta, the tiny woman recognized throughout the world for her work among the poorest of the poor, was beatified October 19, 2003. Among those present were hundreds of Missionaries of Charity, the order she founded in 1950, as a diocesan religious community. Today the congregation also includes contemplative sisters and brothers, and an order of priests.

Born to Albanian parents in what is now Skopje, Macedonia, Gonxha (Agnes) Bojaxhiu was the youngest of the three children who survived. For a time, the family lived comfortably, and her father's construction business thrived. But life changed overnight following his unexpected death.

During her years in public school, Agnes participated in a Catholic sodality and showed a strong interest in the foreign missions. At age 18, she entered the Loreto Sisters of Dublin. It was 1928 when she said goodbye to her mother for the final time and made her way to a new land and a new life. The following year she was sent to the Loreto novitiate in Darjeeling, India. There she chose the name Teresa and prepared for a life of service. She was assigned to a high school for girls in Calcutta, where she taught history and geography to the daughters of the wealthy. But she could not escape the realities around her—the poverty, the suffering, the overwhelming numbers of destitute people.

In 1946, while riding a train to Darjeeling to make a retreat, Sister Teresa heard what she later explained as “a call within a call. The message was clear. I was to leave the convent and help the poor while living among them.” She also heard a call to give up her life with the Sisters of Loreto and instead, to “follow Christ into the slums to serve him among the poorest of the poor.”

After receiving permission to leave Loreto, establish a new religious community, and undertake her new work, Sister Teresa took a nursing course for several months. She returned to Calcutta, where she lived in the slums and opened a school for poor children. Dressed in a white sari and sandals—the ordinary dress of an Indian woman—she soon began getting to know her neighbors—especially the poor and sick—and getting to know their needs through visits.

The work was exhausting, but she was not alone for long. Volunteers who came to join her in the work, some of them former students, became the core of the Missionaries of Charity. Others helped by donating food, clothing, supplies, and the use of buildings. In 1952, the city of Calcutta gave Mother Teresa a former hostel, which became a home for the dying and the destitute. As the order expanded, services were also offered to orphans, abandoned children, alcoholics, the aging, and street people.

For the next four decades, Mother Teresa worked tirelessly on behalf of the poor. Her love knew no bounds. Nor did her energy, as she criss-crossed the globe pleading for support and inviting others to see the face of Jesus in the poorest of the poor. In 1979, she was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize. On September 5, 1997, God called her home. Blessed Teresa was canonized by Pope Francis on September 4, 2016.

Reflection

Mother Teresa's beatification, just over six years after her death, was part of an expedited process put into effect by Pope John Paul II. Like so many others around the world, he found her love for the Eucharist, for prayer, and for the poor a model for all to emulate.

ST. JOSEPH YOUTH GROUP NEWS

NEW THEME



COMING SOON!



TAG...ThinkaboutGod, daily!

PERSISTANCE

Thought: Failure is not the opposite of success. It is part of success.

Challenge: When you fail, do whatever it takes - Just don't give up! Get back up again. Overcome adversity. Find another road. Fight. Persist. Endure. Success may be just one more failure away! And if you need a little encouragement or direction, He is always there for you.

Reference: For I know well the plans I have in mind for you—oracle of the LORD—plans for your welfare and not for woe, so as to give you a future of hope. Jeremiah 29:11 (NABRE)

*Help us to help our teens develop PERSISTANCE... see TAG!

Youth Ministry KICK OFF Sunday 9/12- Youth Mass followed by Registration- Need PARENTS on board for this. Following lunch- teens invited to Michael and Juanita Keller's house for some sand volleyball and swim time!

Youth Night Wed 6:30-8:00- Liturgy planning for Youth Mass 9/12. Mass Ministry roles fulfilled by teens!

Youth Ministry Food Team- any parishioners interested in assisting us in providing yummy meals for our teens on Wednesday nights are asked to connect with any of our youth leaders or email Trochat@stjosephmason.org.

THANK YOU to Fr Red for firing up his pellet grill and flipping some FANTASTIC burgers for our first meal!

Youth Ministry Team

Trish Rochat, Anna Dominguez, Yolanda Martinez, & Laura Menchaca.

SECOND COLLECTION/SEGUNDA COLECTA

There will be a second collection next weekend September 11th and 12th administered by Catholic Relief Services, to provide humanitarian relief to those in need in Haiti, as well as other places in the world. Let our generosity be a sign of our solidarity in Christ with and our brothers and sisters of Haiti.

Habrará una segunda colecta el próximo fin de semana 11 y 12 de septiembre administrada por Catholic Relief Services, para proporcionar ayuda humanitaria a los necesitados en Haití, así como en otros lugares del mundo. Que nuestra generosidad sea un signo de nuestra solidaridad en Cristo con y nuestros hermanos y hermanas de Haití.

HOLY TRINITY PARISH ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

Winner Winner Fried Chicken Dinner

Where: Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Llano, Tx

When: Sunday, September 12th, 2021

Time: 11:00 am till 1:30 pm



Famous Fried Chicken, Real Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Roll, Dessert & Ice Tea

Tickets \$12.00 Dine-in, Take-out or Drive Thru
 Tickets may be purchased from any parishioner, at the Llano parish office, or the day of the dinner. More info can be obtained at
 www.holytrinityllano.org