

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

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Parish Pastor: Rev. Nicholas Gerber

Deacon Mark Seidlitz, Deacon Rene Perez, Deacon Baltazar Montoya

Mass Schedule:

Daily Mass: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 5:30 pm, Friday 9:00 am

Saturday Vigil: *English* 5:00pm

Sunday: *English* 9:00am, *Espanol* - 11:00am & 1:00pm



April 9, 2023

Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday 9am-1pm & 2pm-5pm,
Friday 9am -12pm

Adoration: Friday 9:30am-4:00pm

Holy Hour: Friday 7:00pm-8:00pm

Confession: Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm, Or by appointment

-Serving the Parish -

Pastoral Council: {VACANT}

Finance Council: Juan Regalado

Altar Society: Maria Ruiz

Prayer Group (Spanish): Jose Fuentes

Prayer Group (English): Elena Seidlitz

Director of RCIA (English) : {VACANT}

Director of RCIA (Spanish): Baltazar & Teresa Montoya

Christian Formation: Dcn. Rene Perez & Fidela Saenz

Life Teen & Edge: Valerie Everett

Music Coordinator: Vicente Flores

Knights of Columbus 7573: Lauro Montoya

Secretary: Lola Reyes

Baptism/ Bautismo: Parents must be active members of Blessed Sacrament Church for at least three (3) months. Godparents must be active in a Catholic Parish. Parents/Godparents are required to attend Pre-Baptismal class. Contact the parish office for more information / Los padres deben ser miembros activos de la Iglesia del Santísimo Sacramento durante al menos tres (3) meses. Los padrinos deben estar activos en una parroquia católica. Se requiere que los padres/padrinos asistan a la clase pre-bautismal. Comuníquese con la oficina parroquial para obtener más información.

Sacrament of Marriage/ Matrimonios: If you wish to get married please call the office at least 6 months before your anticipated wedding date to make an appointment with the father. /Si desea casarse, llame a la oficina al menos de 6 meses antes de la fecha prevista de su boda para hacer una cita con el padre.

MINISTRY TO THE HOMEBOUND/Ministerio a los confinados: Contact the Parish Office if you or someone you know would like to receive the Eucharist at home or a facility.

Communion for the Homebound

We are concerned about parishioners who are homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist. If you are homebound, or if you know someone who is unable to come to Mass and would like to receive Communion from a Eucharistic Minister, please contact the office at 806-374-1132. Visits will be happily arranged for you.

Estamos preocupados por los feligreses que están confinados en sus hogares y les gustaría recibir la Eucaristía. Si está confinado en su hogar, o si conoce a alguien que no puede asistir a Misa y le gustaría recibir la Comunión de un Ministro Eucarístico, comuníquese con la oficina al 806-374-1132. Las visitas se organizarán felizmente para usted.

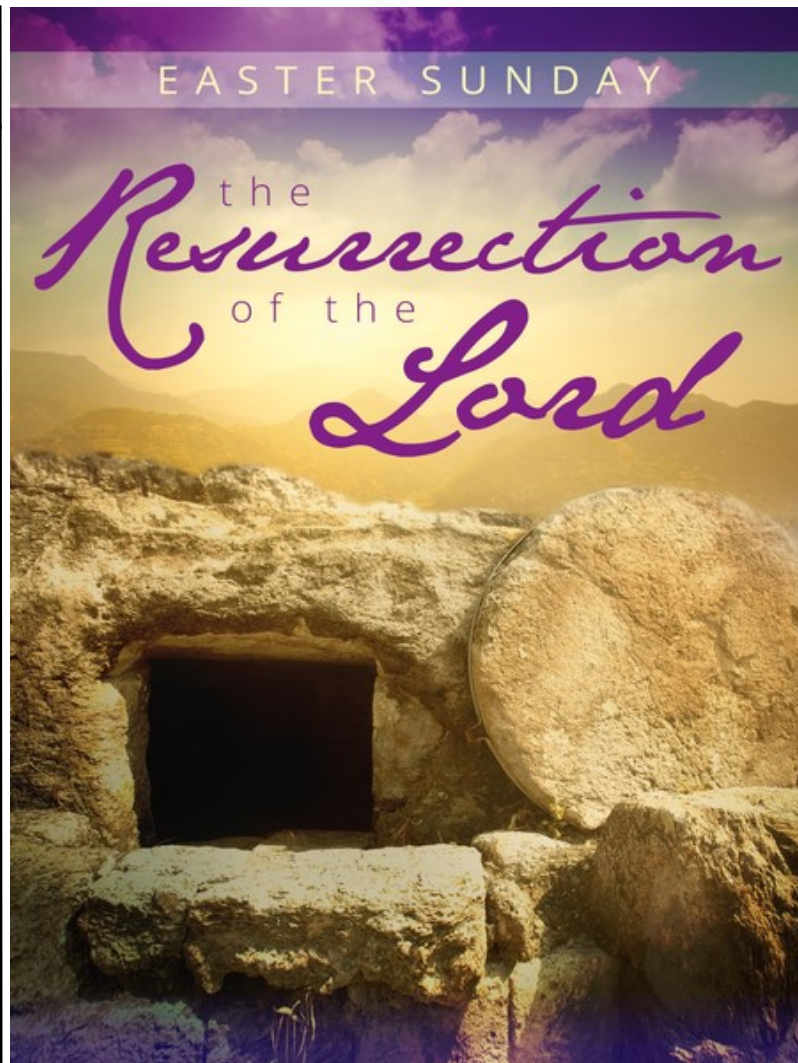
Please remember Blessed Sacrament Church in your Wills, Memorials, Living Trust and other planned gifts. Thank you.

Recuerde a la Iglesia del Santísimo Sacramento en sus testamentos, memoriales, testamentos seguros de vida y otras donaciones planificadas. Gracias

Parish Registration

If you have moved recently or changed phone numbers, please call the office to update this information. We would like to keep our records of all our families as up to date as possible.

Si se ha movido recientemente o ha cambiado de número de teléfono, llame a la oficina para actualizar esta información. Nos gustaría mantener los registros de todas nuestras familias lo más actualizados posible.



LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

We are witnesses of all that Christ has done — in our lives, in our souls, in our hearts. We have seen the empty tomb. We have touched the abandoned burial cloths. “Go tell my brothers,” Jesus commands us. “Do not be afraid.”

VIVIR LA LITURGIA - INSPIRACIÓN DE LA SEMANA (Live the Liturgy)

Somos testigos de todo lo que Cristo ha hecho en nuestras vidas, en nuestras almas, en nuestros corazones. Hemos visto la tumba vacía. Hemos tocado los paños funerarios abandonados. “Vayan y díganlo a mis hermanos,” nos manda Jesús. “No tengas miedo.”

No Daily Masses

Please note that there will not be any Daily Masses on April 11th -14th. Also, there will not be Adoration on April 14th. Thank you!

Tenga en cuenta que no habrá misas diarias del 11 al 14 de abril. Además, no habrá Adoración el 14 de abril.
¡Gracias!

Jamaica Planning Meeting

We had such a wonderful meeting for this years Jamaica. The next meeting is set for April 27th at 7pm in the Parish Hall

Tuvimos una maravillosa reunión de planificación para este año en Jamaica. La próxima reunión está fijada para el 27 de abril a las 7pm en el salon parroquial.

Open Position RCIA Director (English)

RCIA (English) Director is needed for possible work beginning in the fall 2023. If interested please call the office to set up an interview with Fr. Nick (806)374-1132



Baptism Classes

The next *pre-baptismal* class will be on April 11th at 6:30pm ~ *English*. Please call the office to be placed on the list.

El siguiente clase *pre-bautismales* sera el 21 de abril a las 6:00 pm ~ *espanol* Por favor llame a la oficina para ser colocado en la lista.

Thank you to everyone who donated for this years Lenten food drive to benefit Catholic Charities of the Texas Panhandle. We collected over 4 1/2 barrels of food for those in need.

Gracias a todos los que donaron para la colecta de alimentos de Cuaresma de este año en beneficio de Caridades Católicas del Panhandle de Texas. Recolectamos más de 4 1/2 barriles de alimentos para los necesitados.

Cinco de Mayo Fundraiser

The next planning meeting will be on April 12th at 6:30 in the Church

La próxima reunión de planificación será el 12 de abril a las 6:30 en la iglesia.

Eucharistic Ministers Needed

Is God calling you to become a Eucharistic Minister? Our parish needs you for English masses 5pm Sat & 9am Sun. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** (commonly referred to as Eucharistic Ministers), perform a sacred and much needed role during the Mass. Eucharistic Ministers assist the Priest and Deacon in the distribution of the Holy Body & Blood of Christ during Communion. Please contact the office to set up an appointment with Fr. Nick.

Confirmation Mass

This years Confirmation Mass will be Wednesday May 3rd at 6:30 pm. All candidates who have been approved will need:

- A copy of their baptismal Certificate.
- Copy of Sponsors confirmation certificate and permission letter from their parish.
- All candidates please call the office to schedule an appointment with Fr. Nick in the month of April.

Misa de Confirmación

La Misa de Confirmación de este año será el miércoles 3 de mayo a las 6:30 pm. Todos los candidatos que hayan sido aprobados necesitarán:

- Una copia de su Acta de Bautismo.
- Copia del certificado de confirmación de su padrino y carta de permiso de su parroquia.
- Todos los candidatos por favor llamen a la oficina para programar una cita con el Padre. Nick en el mes de abril.

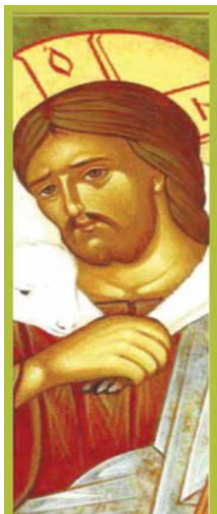
Prayer for Priestly Vocations in the Diocese of Amarillo

Oh Jesus, eternal Shepherd of souls!

Deign to look with eyes of mercy on this portion of your beloved flock. Lord, we need a greater number of priests. Multiply vocations and sanctify our priests more and more. We ask this through the intercession of the Immaculate Virgin Mary of Guadalupe, your sweet and holy Mother. Oh Jesus, give us priests according to your Heart! *Amen*

Oracion por las Vocaciones Sacerdotales en la Diocesis de Amarillo

Oh Jesus, Pastor Eterno de las almas! Dignate Mirar con ojos de misericordia a esta porcion de tu grey amada. Señor, necesitamos mayor number de sacerdotes. Multiplica las vocaciones y santifica mas y mas a nuestros sacerdotes. Te lo pedimos por la intercession de la Inmaculada Virgen Maria de Guadalupe, tu dulce y santa Madre. Oh Jesus, danos sacerdotes segun tu Corazon! *Amen*.



Readings for the week of April 9, 2023

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 (24)/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/ Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21/Mk 16:9-15

Next Sunday: Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31

General Offering \$ 5,462.91

Online E-Giving \$ ~

Building Maintenance \$ ~

*Special Collection \$ 500.08

Total : \$ 5,962.99

UPCOMING COLLECTIONS

April 7th- Holy Land Shrines (Good Friday)

April 16th -Building Maintenance Fund

April 30th- Home Mission Appeal

Thank you for your generosity!/Gracias por tu generosidad!



PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for the Sick, Homebound & those in the Military

We always welcome names for the sick. Also, pray for our parishioners who are in nursing homes or are homebound unable to attend Mass.

Oralia Ortega

Rosalie Mascarenas

Tony & Isabel Borreliz

Mass Intentions: Week of April 8- April 14

Please request Mass Intentions for loved ones, both living and deceased.

Saturday 4/8:

5:00pm: +Rigoberto Rodriguez

Sunday 4/9:

9:00am: People of the Parish

11:00am: Samantha Casarez (Salud)

1:00pm: + Malcovia Estrada +Bartolo Hernandez

+ Ana Martinez

Tuesday 4/11:

Wednesday 4/12:

Thursday 4/13:

Friday 4/14:

WEEKLY EVENTS AROUND THE PARISH

SUNDAY

9:00 am Mass

11:00 am Misa

1:00 pm Misa

MONDAY

7:00 pm Profundización de la fe Espanol (Leard)

TUESDAY

6:30 - 8:00 pm Catechism 2nd - 5th Grades (Parish Hall)

7:30 pm Prayer Group (English)

WEDNESDAY

6:30 - 8 pm Life Teen & Edge (Parish Hall)

THURSDAY

6:30 pm Grupo de Oracion Espanol (Church)

7:00 pm El Camino (Leard)

FRIDAY

7:00 pm Holy Hour/Hora Santa (Church)

SATURDAY

9:00 am Prayer for Vocations (Chapel)

3:30 pm- 4:30 pm Reconciliation/ Confesiones

5:00 pm Mass

7:00 pm El Camino (Parish Hall)

CATHOLIC TRIVIA – JUST FOR FUN

Question: What was the first Catholic Order that was started in the United States?

Answer: The Sisters of Charity of St. Joseph

Pregunta: ¿Cuál fue la primera Orden Católica que se inició en los Estados Unidos?

Respuesta: Las Hermanas de la Caridad de San José



Eucharistic Adoration

Every Friday from 10am -4pm

Please call the office to sign up for an hour.

Why is it necessary to have at least two people present? Safety! In case something happens to one of the adorers (falls asleep, faints, has a medical emergency, etc.) the other can call for aid while at the same time insuring that the Most Blessed Sacrament exposed in the monstrance is not left unattended. Why should we not leave the Most Blessed Sacrament in the monstrance unattended? First, out of courtesy, and second for safety, because — while in the monstrance — the Eucharist is vulnerable.



Youth Corner

SAVE THE DATE
Reserve la Fecha
28-30
APRIL
Amarillo Civic Center
DCYC
Diocesan Catholic Youth Conference
AMARILLODIOCESE.ORG/YOUTH
806-383-2243 EXT. 118

BE STILL
LET GO
AND
LET GOD
Psalm 46:10
#DCYCAMARILLO

SUPPORTEO BY
UNITED BROTHERS
APPEAL

Diocese of
Amarillo

Don't forget to purchase your tickets to this years Cinco de Mayo Dinner/Dance.

No olvide comprar sus boletos para la Cena/Baile del Cinco de Mayo de este año.

29 DE ABRIL, 2023

CENA BAILE
CELEBRANDO EL
Viva CINCO De Mayo

Deliciosos Tacos, Botanas y Bebidas
Rifas y mucha diversion!
\$30 entrada
Muscia en vivo y DJ

Grand Event Center
8660 S. Grand, Amarillo, TX, 79118
6:30pm - 1:00 am
TODO PARA BENEFICIO DE
BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH

Para mas informacion
llame a (806) 374-1132
Gracias por su apoyo

DJ PEQUE
806-448-3914

Volunteers Needed at BSA

Volunteers are needed at BSA hospital as communion ministers. It does not require much time, training is provided and the schedule is very flexible. A very rewarding experience. Please contact Larry Gray at larryvgray@outlook.com / (806) 420-6408 or Elma Fletcher at elma_fletcher@yahoo.com / (806) 206-4496.

Daily Deed Ideas

Uplift Your Priest
April 17-28, 2023

- Call/text/email your priest
- Send spiritual bouquets to him
- Drop off popcorn and snacks for movie night
- Send him drawings or paintings by children
- Pray, fast, and offer sacrifices for him
- Send him a gift card for Amazon or a restaurant
- Make a family video message/song of affirmation for him
- Create a sidewalk message in front of church/rectory
- Post pictures of your family with your priest
- Drop off or have dinner/lunch delivered
- Send financial support to the parish, if able
- Hold a "Parade of Love" for him
- Challenge and tag 3 families/individuals to pray a Rosary for him on social media

EDUCATION MINISTRY

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH
2500 S. Bolton St, Amarillo, TX 79103

Quieres experimentar un encuentro con Jesús Resucitado?

Dios quiere regalarte su vida, por que eres su heredero!



RETIRO DE INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA
NUEVA VIDA

Abril 21-22-23, 2023

VIERNES 6:00 pm, SABADO 8:00 am

Grupo de Oracion **DOMINGO 8:00 AM**
En el salon parroquial

Siervas De Dios Para mas informacion, llamar a Jose Fuentes, (806) 717-0248

