

Holy Family Catholic Church



Holy Family Church & St. Joseph Catholic Mission
CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF VICTORIA IN TEXAS
2011 Briar Lane Wharton, Texas 77488
Phone: 979-532-3593

Reconciliation:

Holy Family—Saturday---3:30 p.m. to 4:20 p.m.
15 minutes before weekday Masses

St. Joseph---Sunday---7:30 a.m. to 7:50 a.m.

Baptism: Call parish office to schedule.

Marriage: Contact the pastor at least 6 months prior to desired date

Family Life Center Rental: Anton Peter 979-533-9509

Pope: His Holiness Pope Francis
Bishop: The Most Rev. Brendan J. Cahill, S.T.D.
Pastor: Rev. Robert Knippenberg
Permanent Deacon: Alvin A. Matthys
Permanent Deacon: David Valdez

Holy Family's PCL & Youth Minister:

Daniel "Danny" Smith: 254-733-6327
St. Joseph's PCL: Dawn Villasana 979--943-6784

Holy Family, Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday @ 4:30p.m.
Sunday @ 10:00 a.m.

St. Joseph, Boling Weekend Mass Schedule:

Sunday @ 8:00a.m.

Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday -12 noon

Website address: www.hfwharton.org

Sunday, October 23, 2016 **Twenty-ninth Sunday** **In Ordinary Time**

"Our Commission"

Holy Family Church and St. Joseph Mission are communities of believers called to worship God and celebrate the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.

We provide spiritual growth to all and service to the parish and community through evangelization, education and stewardship.

We journey together in faith and love for one another to live out the call of Jesus Christ.

New Parishioners

A special welcome to our new parishioners! Please complete the New Parishioner Registration Form in the "Documents" section on the parish website home page. Then mail to the Parish Office or put it in the collection basket.

On-Line Giving

Interested in on-line giving? Click on the Online Giving logo on the parish website home page.

Adoration

Holy Family has Adoration on Thursdays from 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. Please enter and exit in 'reverence and silence'. Stop in if only for a few minutes to say a prayer and/or stay as long as you like.

Holy Family Purgatorial Society

Please contact the Parish Office or visit the parish website for more information about the Holy Family Purgatorial Society or to enroll a deceased loved one.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 24 +James Anders	7:30AM(H.F.)
Tuesday, October 25 +Michael Klima & Frank J. Klima	5:30PM(H.F.)
Wednesday, October 26 +Genevieve Maerz	7:30AM (H.F.)
Thursday, October 27 +Holy Family Altar Society	7:30AM(H.F.)
Thursday, October 28 +Sidonia Tomczak	10:00AM(WNR)
Friday, October 28 +Fr. Dan Morales	6:30AM(H.F.)
Friday, October 28 +Ascension Quintanilla, Sr.	9:00AM(E.C.)
Saturday, October 29 People & Benefactors of Holy Family Church and St. Joseph Mission	4:30 PM(H.F.)
Sunday, October 30 +Greg Chumchal	8:00AM(ST. J.)
Sunday, October 30 +Robert Lowdermilk	10:00AM (H.F.)

Prayer Request: Fr. Anthony 'Tony' Boateng-Mensah, Msgr. Gerald Cernoch, Flossie Blair, Bennie Brod, Alma Buenger, Tom Carlson, Grace Creamer, Mary Sue Ferrel, Cindy Muniza Fisher, Charles Fitzgearld, Giacomo Iero, Annie Heimann, Bessie Hlavinka, Dolores Lopez Horta, Vlasta Horelica, Mary Hohensee, Debbie Hubenak, Bill Hubenak, Frank Janik, Betty Jo Kahanak, John Korenek, Wayne Korenek, Clara Kostka, Joe & Mary Ann Kubena, Janet Kutach, Isabel Lopez, Junior Luera, Agnes Litvik, Caroline Matthys, Wanda Martin, Rudy Merchura, Josie Mican, Pablo Mireles, Della Morris, Katie Ondiras, Denise Van Odsel, Mackie Pavlu, Shirley Pyka, Todd Roschetzky, Judith Sassin, Laurine Schwertner, Chase Springer, Alvin Stavinoha, Alvin Schultz, Mona Stavinoha, Birdie Stolle, Irene Svatek, Paul Svatek, Charles Svec, Joe Teague, Leona Tydlacka, Dr. Raymond Torp, Jonathan Wachmann, Daniel Wittig, Carol Zepeda, the homebound and those in nursing homes and the elderly Religious.

Pray for those in the Military: O. J. Esquivel; Keith Wayne Svatek, Matthew Mata, Jesse Orea, Luis Roldan, Jr., Gabriel Torres, Joe Ray Esparza, Brian Heimann, August Joel Koch, Gregory Michael Brooks Simon, Reena Cruz, Amber Marie Popp

Pray for the Seminarians of the Diocese of Victoria: Chase Goodman, James Dvorak, Ryan Kapavik, Deacon Stephen Vacek, Deacon Jacob Mendoza, Dalton Ervin, Nick Aparicio, Jordan Morgan.

Holy Family (CCD) Religious Education Program will offer a Mom's support group this year. The Mom's night group is to support and affirm women in the many roles that we have in life as mothers, wives, daughters, sisters, friends. It is a ministry about women bonded by their vocation and their Catholic faith who come together to share the joys and struggles of Motherhood. Moms of all ages and stages are welcome to participate in our meetings. *Momnipotent* is an 8 week study, it validates the dignity and importance of motherhood by helping mothers to recognize 8 uniquely feminine strengths, to find peace, purpose, balance and joy in being the woman God created and called them to be. Dayna Zahradnik & LeeAnn Kalina will lead this group that will begin meeting on October 5th, during religious education times 7:00pm—8:15pm.

Special Collection Oct. 23 St. Vincent de Paul & Share

33 Days of Morning Glory is a 6-week preparation for Marian Consecration drawing us closer to the Heart of Jesus through the Heart of Mary. Featuring the teachings of four giants of Marian spirituality St. Louis de Montfort, St. Maximilian Kolbe, St. Teresa of Calcutta, and St. John Paul II—this program's short daily readings and weekly meetings allow this to be a simple way to be spiritually renewed, develop a deeper relationship with our Merciful Savior, and grow in holiness. **Meetings will be held at the parish on Tuesdays from October 25– December 6, from 7:00pm — 8:30p.m.** Participants will need to purchase a copy of the book "33 Days to Morning Glory" by Fr. Michael Gaitley. All other materials will be provided and there is no cost to attend. Please contact Kelli Taylor at: ataylorfam@gmail.com

Old Tables are up for sale. Please contact Geraldine or Anton Peter by calling 979-531-9507.
\$10.00 per table.

The Cenacle of Life meets every Tuesday evening immediately following the 5:30pm Mass. The Cenacle of Life is a prayer group that offers two rosaries and fasting for an end to the Culture of Death and the protection of religious liberty in our country! All are invited!

The El Campo Women's ACTS Deanery is currently accepting applications for the upcoming **Women's ACTS Retreat, Nov. 10-13, 2016.** For applications, please contact Vanessa Stavena at (832) 595-5933. Gloria Vela (979) 533-2895 or Gloria Garza at (979) 453-0489.

Please sign up for Prayers for the Retreatants and Team! Sign-up in back of the church.

Cross Catholic Outreach— We will be collecting Boxes of Joy: September 25 to November 5. Return boxes to OMEGA Room at Holy Family Church. Contact Phyllis Lesak; 533-2184, Irene Hlavinka 531-9412; and Mary Konvicka 533-1539 for more information.

The Holy Family Altar Society Cleaning Team Members for October are:
Linda Laitkep, Mary Ann Erdelt, Gloria Pavlas

**The Floral Offering at the Main Altar
on October 22 & 23 is donated by
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UPCOMING MASSES & EVENTS

**Solemnity of ALL Saints, November 1
6:00pm Holy Family (VIGIL MASS)
All Saints Day Nov. 1—12 Noon
Evergreen Cemetery
Including Blessing of the Graves**

ALL SAINTS DAY Nov. 1—St. Joseph @7:00PM

ALL SOULS DAY Nov. 2—7:30 AM

**CDA & KC MEMORIAL MASS
November 8—Holy Family Church
ROSARY @ 6:00pm
MASS—@ 6:30pm**

**November 23 CDA—Pre-Thanksgiving Bake Sale
Holy Family Life Center**

Amor Meus Spirituality: Private or Directed Overnight Retreat: This retreat offers an opportunity to take time away from a busy, hectic life to spend quiet time in prayer and reflection. Comfortable overnight accommodations, nutritious meals, and lovely outdoor prayer spaces help the retreatant hear "God's still small voice" in the silence of the heart where God dwells. An opportunity to speak with a spiritual director or guide is available. A Private or Directed Overnight Retreat may be arranged for different lengths and times of the Year (except June) depending upon availability of space and dates. Arrangements are made one week before a Retreat. Incarnate Word Convent 1101 North East Water Street Victoria, Texas.
Contact Sr. Emilie Eilers: 361-575-7111



**Needing Volunteers for
EVENING Holy Hour!**

11:00am til Noon; 5p.m.-6 pm;

**ADORATION ON Thursdays
8:00am —8:00pm**

+++ St. Joseph Mission +++

**St. Joseph flowers for Oct. 23 Main Altar:
donated by Julie Kacal in Thanksgiving for
Blessings.**

**St. Joe's RAFFLE & FUNDRAISER!
Needing unique items for St. Joe's Live & Silent
Auction—Saturday, Nov. 12 Boling Community
Center**

**BOX of Joy—contact Clarice Kutach or Irene
Mullins in the parish hall after mass.**

In Case of Suspected Abuse—

If a person is in immediate danger, call 911 or call the Department of Family & Protective Services at 1-800-252-5400 or report the abuse online. Written allegations (marked "Personal & Confidential") may be sent to: Office of the Bishop, Diocese of Victoria in Texas, P. O. BOX4070 Victoria, Texas 77903-4070. To report suspected or known abuse by church personnel, please contact the diocesan Coordinators of Pastoral Care and Outreach:
Fr. Gary Janak, Chancellor (361) 575-4741 or 361-573-0828, or
Sr. Emilie Eilers, IWBS at (361)-575-7111.
Holy Family's Safe Environment Coordinator is Clarice Kutach.
St. Joseph's Safe Environment Coordinator is Delores Kocian.
Both may be contacted at 979-532-3593.

Holy Family Contributions

**\$3337.00 Reg. Collection
\$ 160.00 DSA
\$ 250.00 Bldg. Fund
\$ 40.00 St. Vincent/Share
\$3787.00 Total 10/9/16**

St. Joseph Mission Contributions

**\$1287.00 Reg. Collection
\$ 21.00 DSA
\$1308.00 Total Collection
10/9/16**

Engaged Encounter

**2016 Dates: November 4-6 (24 openings);
2017—January 20-22 (37 openings); April 21-23(40
openings); May 26-28 (40 openings); and November
17-19 (40 openings) If at all possible couples please
Register Early! Brochures and online registration
forms may be found on the website under the Mar-
riage Tab. For more info call 361-573-0828 or visit
victoriadiocese.org**

Holy Family Blood Drive Report

Donors: 20 Total Units: 26

**These donations will help patients throughout
our community and are greatly appreciated.**

Holy Family's DSA as of September 10, 2016

**No. of pledges: 106
Pledged Amount: \$25,751.00
Received Amount: \$23,646.00
Balance: \$2,105.00
Pledged Goal: \$48,521.00**

St. Joseph DSA —As of September 10, 2016

**Number Pledges: 22
Pledged Amount: \$5,580.00
Received Amount: \$5,380.00
Balance: \$200.00
Pledged Goal: \$11,899.00**

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