

MASS INTENTIONS

FOR THE WEEK



August 17th
Sat 5:30 p.m. Hadley Family

August 18th
Sun 9:30 a.m. +Bernadette Olsen
12:00 p.m.

Monday August 19th NO MASS

August 20th
Tuesday 7:00 p.m. +Americo Rivera & + Antonio Montes C.

August 21st
Wed. 5:30 p.m. +Paul Jasminez

August 22nd
Thursday 7:00 a.m. Valorie Unruh

August 23rd
Friday 8:30 a.m. Javier Gonzalez Jr. Birthday

August 24th
Saturday 5:30 p.m. +Mike & Eufemio Velasquez & Bertie Duvall

August 25th
Sunday 9:30 a.m. +Damien Martinez
12:00 p.m. Parish Family

Amount needed each week for expenses 5500.00

Regular Collection 5466.27 Children's Collection 80.00

Black & Indian Missions 643.00

Give and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you."
Luke 6:38

August Second Collections
Pastoral Education Center August 25th

St. Vincent de Paul Parish Pampa Tx
Diocese of Amarillo Bishop Patrick J. Zurek
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Regular Office hours

Mon-Thur. 9 a.m. –5p.m.
Closed for Lunch 12-1

Parish Secretary/bookkeeper Delma Sanchez
Director of Religious Education: Marian Dawes
Finance Council President: Michael Zemanek
Parish Council President: Dr. Jack Albracht
Parish Maintenance: Uriel Diaz
Youth Minister Brad Hadley

Sacraments

Reconciliation Saturdays: 4:30 p.m.

Anointing of the Sickcontact office

Marriage: Please notify the office six months in advance. No date will be confirmed until the couple has met with the priests.

Baptism: Parents and Godparents are required to attend a Baptismal class. Instructions every other month. In Spanish call the parish office to register. English Class call Joe & Edie Mechelay at 665-5601.

RCIA (Adults) is open to non Catholics who wish to learn more about the Catholic Faith, and Catholics who have not celebrated the sacraments. Contact Aloise Martin at 883-4901 or Peggy Rodriguez at 669-2683.

RCIC (Children) is offered during the school year. Contact Marian Dawes on Thurs. or Fridays at 665-8933.

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. in Spanish

Wednesday 5:30 p.m.

Thursday 7:00 a.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m.

Saturday 5:30 p.m.

Sunday 9:30 a.m. & (12:00 p.m. Spanish)

EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION & ADORATION

Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

TWENTIETH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
August 18th, 2019

We Believe In The Power Of Prayer



*Lord,
Hear Our
Prayer*

PLEASE PRAY FOR....those who are sick or suffering in any way, we especially remember at this time:

Alice Kuehler, Andres Cano, Whitney Krupala, Charlotta Krupala, Chantilly Fontenot, Mary Martinez, Alva Joe Cox, Tommy Washington, Tom Garcia, Erick Reyes, Jack Hilton, Odis Qualls, Salvado Herrera, Earnest Knipp, Matthew Duvall, Myriam Moreno, Fr. Busch, Emily Lafon, Wilma Eubanks, Kevin Rivas, Valorie Unruh, Rita Robinson, Susan Parrish, Vickie Davis, Norma Cerda, Sonny Portillo, Jean Ladd, Mary Ann Ebenkamp, Janet Coats, Justin Sealman

Please note: When we receive a request to place on individual on the prayerline in the bulletin, we will do so for a time period of two weeks. After two weeks, if prayers are still needed for that person, we ask that you call the office and request that their names remain on the list.
Thank you for your understating.

For all those that are incarcerated, lonely, sick or dying... We pray to the Lord

Scripture Insights

“ I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing!” These words in the Gospel cause us to take notice. How does Jesus as the Prince of Peace square with Jesus who brings discord and division to the world? Throughout the Old Testament, fire symbolizes God’s presence. In the desert, Moses discovers God’s presence in the burning bush (Exodus 3:2). In Elijah’s great battle with the prophets of Baal on Mount Carmel, god’s fire consumed Elijah’s sacrifice. At Pentecost, flames of fire appeared over the heads of the Apostles symbolizing the descent of the Holy Spirit. The symbol of fire also bears with it the power to purify. When the fire of God’s Spirit fills our hearts. We are purified of selfishness and whatever is not compatible with a relationship with God. In the process of purification, we experience the pain of separation from what has divided us from God. Commitment to Jesus bears consequences. It brings about division from those who are opposed to Jesus. The heart of Jesus’ message is that our relationship with him is the most significant relationship of all. Today’s reading from the Letter to the Hebrews reiterates the Gospel theme that our relationship with Jesus is the most important aspect in our lives. The author compares life’s journey to a race we are running. On the race of life, we are called, as any runner is, to keep our eyes fixed on the goal, the prize. We are “keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus.”

How does the image of Jesus brining fire to earth harmonize with Jesu as the “Prince of Peace”?

What does the image of “Jesus as the leader and perfecter of faith” convey to you?

Have there been times when your relationship with God has been tested by the values of your friends and family?

**Would you like to attend an ACTS Retreat Weekend?
There is more information about the ACTS Retreat Online.**

**If you or someone you know would like to attend you can register online at: ACTSamarillo.org
Or call the Delma at the parish office.
Women’s October 17-20, 2019 &
Teen’s Retreat December 26-28, 2019**



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday August 18th, 9:30 a.m. Mass & 12:00

p.m. (Sp) Mass

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

10:30 a.m. Adult Bible study—conf. room

1:30– 3:30 p.m. Ultreya—cafeteria

Monday August 19th, NO MASS

7:00 p.m. K of C meeting—cafeteria

7:30 p.m. Sp. Choir Practice-church

Tuesday August 20th, 7:00 p.m. Mass in

Spanish

7:30 p.m. Prayer service-Church

Wednesday August 21st, 5:30 p.m. Mass

Thursday August 22nd, 7:00 a.m. Mass

9:00 a.m. Via Crucis - church

1:15 p.m. Rosary—conference room

2:00 p.m. Bulletin folders—conference room

6:00 p.m. Apostolic Hour –church

7:00 p.m. Sp. Bible Study—PEC

Friday August 23rd, 8:30 a.m. Mass

9– 7:00 p.m. Adoration

7:00 p.m. Pacheco choir practice—cafeteria

7:30 p.m. Rafa choir- church

Saturday August 24th, 5:30 p.m. Mass

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATIONS

9 a.m.—12:00 a.m. Knights of Columbus—

conference room

4:30 p.m. Confessions

Sunday August 25th, 9:30 a.m. Mass &

12:00 p.m. Sp. Mass

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATIONS

10:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study—conf. Room

ELIZABETH MINISTRY

Elizabeth Ministry is a ministry that helps affirm, support, encourage, and assist women during pregnancy and the child bearing years. Our ministry is designed to involve mothers in networking to support one another through personal visits, prayer, telephone calls and family support services. Please call: Maria Davila 440-7995 or Andrea Wyatt 669-9884.



Faith Formation

Register today!!

Registration for Faith Formation will be after all Masses starting Saturday August 3rd, and on Monday from 9:00 a.m. to noon at the church office. The fee is \$30 for the first child and \$15 for each additional child. If you have a child celebrating Baptism, please bring the original birth certificate for us to make a copy and return to you. If you have a child celebrating First Eucharist or Confirmation please bring the original baptismal certificate for us to make a copy.



FAITH FORMATION STARTS SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 8TH

from 10:40 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. at the PEC.

Many of the catechists are answering God's invitation to share their faith again this year. We are still in need of two 3rd grade, & two 5th grade catechists for this year. Please take a moment to pray and see if God is inviting you to share your faith with others in this ministry. If you have questions, please call Marian Dawes at 806-486-7955.

First Eucharist classes start Wednesday September 18th, from 6:00—7:15 p.m. in the PEC. It is important to bring your child's baptismal certificate, if you have not done so at registration



MARK YOU CALENDAR: There will be adult safe environment training for all adults who have any contact with children or youth in the parish on October 8th & 28th at the PEC at 6:00 p.m.

22nd Annual Respect Lift Banquet on Sunday September 15th, Amarillo Civic Center Grand Plaza, Tim Staples, Director of Apologetics and Evangelization for Catholic Answers will be the keynote speaker.

Tim Staples was a fallen—away Southern Baptist who as a teen came back to faith in Christ through the witness of televangelists. During his four-year tour with the U.S. Marine Corps, he became friends with a Marine well-versed in his Catholic Faith who challenged Tim to study Catholicism from the truth. Immediately after his tour of duty, time attended Jimmy Swaggart Bible College and became a your minister in a Assembly of God community. He was determined to prove Catholicism wrong, but he studied his way to the last place he thought he would ever end up: the Catholic Church. He converted in 1988 and spent six years in formation for the priesthood, earning a degree in philosophy and studying theology at the graduate level. Realizing that his calling was not to be a priest, Tim left the seminary in 1994 and has been working in Catholic apologetics and evangelization ever since.

Office of Vocations Invites You to "Come and See"

(Discernment Retreat for Young Men 17 years and Up)
Fr. Jonathan Frassero, a monk of St. Meinrad Abbey and spiritual director in their seminary, will be giving a presentation to help young men discover the call of God in their lives. This humorous and lively presentation will answer many misconceptions about priesthood and seminary life while also giving men the opportunity to better know God's plan for their lives, Come and see!

Saturday September 28th, 2019 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Location: WT Catholic Student Center— Canyon Texas
Lunch will be provided
Please RSVP with Victor Holguin at 806-383-2243 Ext 119 or vholguin@dioama.org.

Practice of Hope

Jesus clearly states in the Gospel that the Kingdom of God comes with a cost. Jesus will be "baptized" through the fire of his death on a cross. Similarly, as we wait in hope for the kingdom, the author of Hebrews urges us to "rid ourselves of every burden and sin that clings to us and persevere in running that race that lies before us." Prayerfully meditate on your life this week, asking: Who are the people that incline you toward sin? What circumstances tempt you to give up the race? Pray for the will and guidance to persevere in living the life to which God calls you. Each morning this week, pray St. Patrick's Breastplate, found below or at www.ourcatholicprayers.com/st-patricks-breastplate.html. The author of Hebrews tells us to keep "our eyes fixed on Jesus." This week, try to check in with God by offering short prayers throughout the day. Set an alarm on your watch or phone to remind you



St. Patrick's Breastplate

*I arise today through
God's strength to pilot me.
God's might to uphold me.
God's wisdom to guide me.
God's eye to see before me.
God's ear to hear me.
God's word to speak for me.
God's hand to guard me.
God's way to lie before me.
God's shield to protect me.
God's host to secure me—
against snares of devils,
against temptations and vices,
against inclinations of nature,
against everyone who shall wish me ill,
afar and anear,
alone and in a crowd...
Christ be with me, Christ before me
Christ behind me,
Christ in me, Christ beneath me,
Christ above me,
Christ on my right, Christ on my left,
Christ where I lie, Christ where I sit,
Christ where I arise,
Christ in the heart of every man who
thinks of me.
Christ in the mouth of every man who
speaks of me.
Christ in every eye that sees me.
Christ in every ear that hears me.
Salvation is of the Lord,
Salvation is of the Lord,
Salvation is of the Christ.
May your salvation, O Lord, be ever with
us.*

SECCION EN ESPAÑOL

Mes Aug	Ministros d Comunion-Misa Martes	Lectores - Misa - Martes
6	Ramona Ruiz—Cecilia Losoya	Jorge Brito—Lupita Machado
13	Socorro Granillo—Julia Soto	Lupita Machado-Benjamin Machado
20	Cecilia Losoya-Lupita Machado	Jorge Brito—Rosa Soto
27	Javier Gonzalez-Tina Gonzalez	Rosa Soto—Ramona Ruiz

Atuendo en la Misa

Es de buena educación vestirse bien para la Misa. Se evita usar prendas rotas, o prendas especialmente reveladoras o ajustadas. Pantalones cortos (shorts) no son ropa adecuada para la Misa. Dichos atuendos pueden distraer a otros, o incluso demostrar falta de respeto hacia Dios y a la iglesia. Cuando entramos a la iglesia o asistimos a la Misa, estamos en la presencia de nuestro Dios. Demostremos una actitud de modestia y recogimiento.

“HE VENIDO A TRAER FUEGO A LA TIERRA”

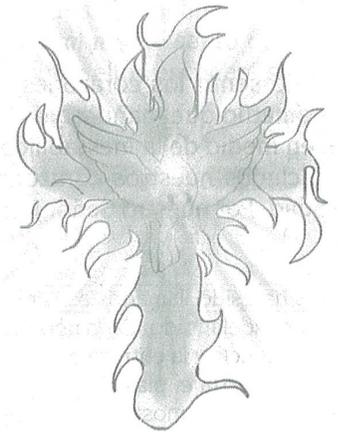
El Señor no se refiere a hacer una fogata o a provocar un incendio forestal, sino al bautismo que iba a recibir cuando manifestara al extremo su amor por nosotros en la Cruz, y en el envío del Espíritu Santo, fuego del amor del Padre y del Hijo. Es cierto que Cristo vino a traer la paz y la unidad que provienen de Dios, pero, paradójicamente, el nos previene acerca de que, quien elija seguirlo, encontrara oposición incluso en aquellas personas mas cercanas y queridas, porque ser discípulo de Jesús es ir contra la corriente:

De quienes pretenden seguir unos criterios distintos a los de Dios.

De quienes se engañan a si mismos pensando que estaremos en este mundo para siempre.

De quienes se fabrican un Dios “a la medida”.

Que el fuego del amor de Dios arda en nuestro corazón y en el mundo entero.



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Tenemos un sitio del internet para la parroquia! Por favor de visitar el sitio por información de eventos, el boletín, los sacramentos, doctrina, y más. Todavía estamos construyendo el sitio entonces necesitamos sus sugerencias y contribuciones. Por favor de ayudarnos hacer un sitio más útil para todos parroquianos.

Preparación Para Bautismo en Español

Las instrucciones para papas y padrinos serán el 7 de Septiembre a las 7:00 p.m. en la oficina de la parroquia. Los padrinos ya deben haber recibido los sacramentos de Confirmación y Primera Comunión, y si son casados deben serlo en el Sacramento de la Iglesia Católica. Este programa es obligatorio para quienes no lo hayan tomado antes. Seria muy bueno tomarlo durante el embarazo. Para reservaciones llamar a la oficina 665-8933.

Los niños no son admitidos a la clase porque distraen la sesion, por favor no los traiga.



Ministers E. Ministros	Lectors Lectores	Ushers Acomodadores	Altar Servers Monagillos
August 24th, Saturday 5:30 p.m. SECOND COLLECTION FOR PASTORAL EDUCATION CENTER			
Eddie Mechelay Ginger McVay Deacon Mark	Joe Mechelay Doretta Gerber	Kenny Gerber Mike Zemanek	Alex Britten
August 25, Sunday 9:30 a.m. Mass SECOND COLLECTION FOR PASTORAL EDUCATION CENTER			
Aloise Martin David Munoz Jack Hilton Noelia Munoz Jack Hilton	Sarah Stockman Both readings	Will Weiman Martha Ontiveros	Heiley Guerra Sebastian Garduno
August 25th, Sunday 12:00 p.m. Noon Spanish Mass SEGUNDA COLECTA PARA PASTORAL EDUCATION CENTER			
Graciela Germany Tina Gonzalez Javier Gonzalez Socorro Granillo Martina Miranda	Isabel Ortega Violeta Moreno	Juan Silva Luis Silva Ricardo Grajeda Noel Hernandez	Myrna Ramirez Uriel Soto Jose Hernandez Mebelyn Jimenez