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May 7, 2017

*Fourth Sunday of Easter*



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## **ST. ANN MASS SCHEDULE**

**Sunday** 9:00 am

**Weekdays**

Wednesday 9:00 am

Friday 6:00 pm

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Wednesday: after 9am Mass

Sunday: before Mass from 8:15a-8:45a  
and by Appointment

## **Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament**

Friday – 7:00a to 5:30p

## **Director of Religious Education**

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## Catholic Social Teaching Corner

### 4th Sunday of Easter

On this Sunday, our Risen Lord is recognized as the good shepherd who protects us and cares for us. Being the recipients of God's care, we need to realize that Peter's words to the people of Jerusalem are addressed to us as well—we too must reform and embrace a new way of living if we wish to be a part of Christ's fold. That new way of life is to bring God's care and mercy to the poor, the vulnerable, the forgotten and abandoned through our relationships with them.

### Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton

(254)780-2436 [www.cedarbrake.org](http://www.cedarbrake.org)  
cedarbrake@austindiocese.org

### The Practice of Art-Journaling—May 22

Art Journaling is the use of simple art material, written journaling, contemplative gazing and receptive noticing to help respond to prayer and expression. Sr. Marianne Hieb, RSM, D.Min., will lead this retreat and is a member of Lourdes Wellness Spirituality Retreat Team. To register or for more information, visit [www.cedarbrake.org](http://www.cedarbrake.org) or contact Cedarbrake at (254) 780-2436 or cedarbrake@austindiocese.org.

### The Parables in Luke's Gospel—June 1

This retreat will be held at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center on June 1 from 9am to 2:30 pm. The retreat will focus on why Jesus used parables and how we can apply them to our life today. Father Angelo Bertini, retired chaplain from Cedarbrake, will facilitate this day. For more information contact Cedarbrake at (254) 780-2436 or visit [www.cedarbrake.org](http://www.cedarbrake.org).

### Desert Solitude Silent Retreat—June 9-14

This is a silent retreat centering prayer and daily Mass as the focus. Beverly Collin, assistant director, will lead this retreat. This is a wonderful time to come to Cedarbrake and enjoy the quiet. For more information contact Cedarbrake at (254) 780-2436.

### The Theological Reflection Retreat—June 16

This reflection allows us to connect what we experience and believe to the Word of God. This opportunity of reflection will help us understand how the process of seeing, judging and acting can be an instrument for our journey of faith. Gustavo Rodriguez, associate director of catechesis for the Austin Diocese, will lead this day. For more information contact Cedarbrake at (254) 780-2436 or visit [www.cedarbrake.org](http://www.cedarbrake.org).



### Stewardship of Time

Some people say "time is money," but that's not quite right. Time is much *more* valuable than money! We've all had the experience of wasting money on poor purchases or bad decisions. We recover from that, but not so with time. Time once spent can never be recovered. Every day, every hour is precious. *We make sure that we take care of the things that matter.* Stewardship of time requires us to look at our lives, twenty-four hours each day, as an opportunity to serve the Lord and to build up His Kingdom.

### 4th Sunday of Easter

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2: 14a, 36-41

Psalm 23: 1-6

2nd Reading: 1 Peter 2: 20b-25

Gospel: John 10: 1-10

### 5th Sunday of Easter

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 6: 1-7

Psalm 33: 1-2, 4-5, 18-19

2nd Reading: 1 Peter 2: 4-9

Gospel: John 14: 15-21

### Next Week's Ministers

	Sun. May 14 9:00 a.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion	Janet Zapalac Dee Turner
Greeters/Ushers	Jim Bacak Buddy Walters
Lectors	Fran Thomas
Altar Servers	Richard Sifuentes

### Finances—St. Ann

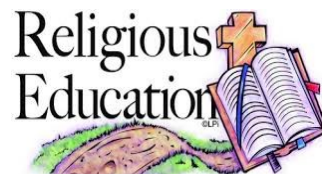
04/30/2017	Sunday Collection	\$ 1,304.00
04/30/2017	Ashes to Easter Boxes	\$ 368.56

### Apostolate

	Tues.—May 9	Wed.—May 17
Collection Counting	Tom Hodges Del Orozco	Tom Hodges Del Orozco

### Mass Intentions: May 7-14

Sun. May 7	9:00a	For the People and for †Elaine Winkler
Wed. May 10	9:00a	+Benita Guillen
Fri. May 12	6:00p	+Milady Kristof
Sun. May 14	9:00a	+Joe & +Lydia Orozco



**Last Day of Classes  
May 7**

### Catholic Charities Corner

The summer months can be hard on low-income families. Utility bills rise, and kids are eating all their meals at home. Catholic Charities Financial Stability program helps families in crisis to achieve financial security through case management, education, and emergency financial aid. If you or someone you know is in need of assistance, call 512-651-6100 (Austin) or 979-822-9340 (Brazos Valley).

**CHURCH LIFE...one body-many members.**

## Bishop Vasquez' Prayer Intention

For the newly baptized and all of us as disciples of Christ, may we be faithful to the voice of the Good Shepherd as he leads us to follow where he has already been.....

The sanctuary lamp is given for the honor and glory of God ....



**Please pray for the needs of our parishioners & friends**

Ann Ross	Michael Miller	Bob Hays
Carol Winkler	Rita Diamond	Scotty Lewis
David Jimenez	Raymond Perez	Paul D. Junkersfeld
Carlos Escobedo	Marion Simmons	Lynda Mendizabal
Sr. John	Ray Allen Kulhanek	Betty Munson
Betty Labay	Tom Arredondo	Peggy Personett



John Brown	Tommy Polansky
Kevin Davis	Joseph Ramirez
David Dominguez	Matthew Reynolds
Neil Frerick	Charlie Richardson
Robin Frerick	LtCol Cesar Rodriguez
Jason Grace	Michael R. Rodriguez
Jerry Gutierrez	Stephen Ruth
Christina Marie Hahne	Justo Suarez
Dane Kidd	Brandon Thomas
Matthew Lee	1LT Christopher M. Torres
Annalisa Lujan	Alan Turner
John Maldonado	Jennifer Hlavaty
Jacob McDonald	Jarrett Hlavaty
Brandon Osburn	

### **Special Collection next weekend**

All parishes in the Diocese of Austin are asked to take up a special collection the weekend of May 13-14 for the Trinity Dome to be completed at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. The Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception is the patronal church of our nation, dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary under her title of the Immaculate Conception. This great Marian shrine exists today because of the generosity of American Catholics and Clergy, the prayers of the faithful, and the hard work of the artisans and laborers who began building it nearly one hundred years ago.

***Today is SAAM Food Collection Sunday!***

***Today is the  
World Day of Prayer for Vocations***

***Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ***

**PRAY WITH US...come and adore Christ**



## *The Grotto of Our Blessed Mother*

Everyone is always welcome to come to the Grotto to spend some quiet time or pray the rosary either alone or in a group.



**ADORATION**

**EVERY FRIDAY**

**7 AM TO 5:30 PM**

Everyone that spends time in adoration of Jesus develops a personal relationship with Him, and grows in love and holiness. Quiet time with the Lord in adoration enables people to listen and recognize His voice as He speaks to their hearts.

## **Around the Diocese**

### **St. Joseph Annual Mayfest**

When: Sunday, May 7, 2017, starting at 11:00 a.m.  
Where: Rockdale Knights of Columbus Hall, Hwy 79 East in Rockdale

What: BBQ Beef & Sausage Dinner plates, live auction, cake walk, plant booth, music, silent auction, children's games

### **100 Days of Summer Festival**

When: May 21, 2017  
Where: St. Mary in Brenham on the parish grounds  
What: Food, games for all ages, silent auction, live auction

### **Aquinas Golf Classic**

When: May 22 from 9am to 1pm  
Where: Pebble Creek Country Club in College Station  
What: Visit [www.stabcs.org](http://www.stabcs.org) to register

### **Marian Mass with May Crowning Devotion**

When: every Saturday of May at noon  
Where: Marian Shrine of Our Lady of Schoenstatt in Austin  
What: For more information, visit [www.schoenstatt.us](http://www.schoenstatt.us)

### **The Mass on the feast of the Visitation**

When: May 31 at 7 pm  
Where: the Marian Shrine of Our Lady of Schoenstatt in Austin  
What: for more information visit [www.schoenstatt.us](http://www.schoenstatt.us)



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†Milady Kristof

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upon her”*

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### Special Events at St. Ann

May 7: SAAM Food Collection; last day  
of Religious Education Classes  
May 7: World Day of Prayer for Vocations  
May 8: 4th Degree at St. Ann  
May 14: May crowning; Mother's Day  
May 14: KC BBQ—pick up plates 10a-12p  
May 15: Fr. Vincent's anniversary of his  
ordination  
May 28: Coffee and Donuts after the 9am  
Mass sponsored by the Knights of  
Columbus  
June 1: KC Meeting, 7pm, Family Center  
June 4: SAAM Food Collection  
June 11: KC BBQ—pick up plates 10a-12p  
June 18: Father's Day  
June 20: Lumen Gentium Awards, Temple  
July 2: SAAM Food Collection  
July 6: KC Meeting, 7pm Family Center

### **Adopt a Seminararian Project**

....May 7.....Del & Maggie  
Orozco  
....May 14....  
....May 21....Efrain & Debra  
Guerra  
....May 28....

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