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Pope Francis  
Rome, Italy

*May 22, 2022*  
*6th Sunday of Easter*



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Diocese of Austin



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## **St. Ann Catholic Church**

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### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Sundays at 9:00 am  
Wednesdays at 9:00 am

Last Friday of the month at 5:00 pm

### **Clergy**

Fr. Everardo Cázares—Pastor  
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### **Sacrament of**

### **Reconciliation**

Wednesday: after 9am Mass

Adoration of the  
Blessed Sacrament  
Last Friday of the month  
at 4 pm



*Christ makes all things new*  
*Cristo renueva todas las cosas*



# ST ANN PARISH LIFE...come and be with us

## Catholic Social Teaching Corner

### 6th Sunday of Easter

In the Gospel this Sunday, Jesus promises to send an Advocate to help the disciples carry on the mission of Jesus. Today we are the ones to whom Jesus sends the Holy Spirit. As we look at the violence, hatred, divisions and fears that exist in our world we might become discouraged. However, the resurrection promise of God is that all will be transformed if we are open to God's grace working in us and in our world. What discouragement can you bring to God for his grace to heal?

*En el Evangelio de este Domingo, Jesus promete enviarnos un intermediario para ayudar a los discipulos a llevar a cabo la mision de Jesus. Hoy, nosotros somos a quienes Jesus envia el Espiritu Santo. Mientras miramos la violencia, el odio, las divisions y los temores que existen en nuestro mundo puede que nos desanimemos. De cualquier modo, la promesa de la resurreccion de Dios es que todos seamos transformados si estamos abiertos a la gracia de Dios que trabaja en nosotros y en nuestro mundo ¿Que decepcion puede usted traer a la presencia de Dios para recibir su gracia para sanar?*

### 6th Sunday of Easter

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 15: 1-2, 22-29  
Psalm 67: 2-3, 5-6, 8  
2nd Reading: Revelation 21: 10-14, 22-23  
Gospel: John 14: 23-29

### The Ascension of the Lord

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 1: 1-11  
Psalm 47: 2-3, 6-9  
2nd Reading Ephesians 1: 17-23  
Gospel: Luke 24: 46-53

Message from Bishop Vasquez:

We are called to have faith in the risen Lord who will never leave us to face our challenges alone. His resurrection was not just a theological notion. It happened in the midst of the Church. All of the post-resurrection accounts in Scripture center on Christ appearing among us, even to the point of asking Thomas to touch his wounds. The very same thing happens to us each time we celebrate the Eucharist. Christ comes among us to live this life with and in each of us. May God grant us the courage and grace to preach the Gospel of Christ by what we say and in how we live each day.

Estamos llamados a tener fe en el Señor resucitado quien nunca nos dejará solos frente a los retos. Su resurrección no fue solo una noción teológica. Sucedió en medio de la iglesia. Todas las narraciones en la Escritura, posteriores a la resurrección se centran en la aparición de Cristo entre nosotros, hasta el punto de pedirle a Tomás que toque sus heridas. Lo mismo nos sucede cada vez que celebramos la Eucaristía. Cristo viene a estar entre nosotros para vivir esta vida con todos y cada uno de nosotros. Que Dios nos conceda el valor y la gracia para predicar el Evangelio de Cristo por medio de lo que decimos y de cómo vivimos cada día.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

## STEWARDSHIP

SHARING THE GIFTS WE HAVE

### FY 2021-2022 Collection Report July 2021-May 2022

	1st Q July-Sept	2ndQ Oct-Dec	3rdQ Jan-Mar.	4thQ Apr-June	Totals July-June
Offertory	\$20,802.00	\$45,280.63	\$65,063.63	\$77,372.63	
Expenses	\$36,193.28	\$66,986.79	\$105,653.72	\$134,918.43	
	-\$15,391.28	-\$21,706.16	-\$40,590.09	-\$57,545.80	

### THANK YOU TO EVERYONE FOR YOUR DONATIONS.

If you were not able to attend Mass this past Sunday, please remember that your financial contribution continues to be important during these times.

There are a variety of ways to contribute:

- **Mail your weekly contributions** to the parish office (P.O. Box 99, Somerville, TX 77879)
- Contributions can be brought to the Church Rectory and dropped in through the mail slot in the rectory door.
- **THANK YOU!!!** St. Ann collected \$306.00 for **Seminarians and Priest Education and Formation**. May God bless your generosity and may we all continue to pray for our seminarians.
- **Next Sunday, May 29**, there will be a **Second Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services**. The AMS provides pastoral care to Catholic men and women serving in the U.S. Armed Forces, enrolled at a U.S. Military Academy, being treated as a patient at any of the 153 U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Centers, or who work for the federal government beyond U.S. borders - including those from our own parish and diocese. The AMS does not receive any funding from the government or military, and has no parishes from which to receive a weekly assessment. Please be generous.

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### Update on Encountering Christ Campaign: (as of 05/20/2022)

Encountering Christ Total Received.....\$54,360.22  
Parish share (30%).....\$15,769.57  
Total Adjusted Pledged.....\$72,995.00  
WHAT WILL WE DO WITH OUR SHARE? WHICH ONE OF OUR 3 GOALS WILL WE FULFILL?

### Update on Catholic Services Appeal (as of 05/20/2022)

Parish Goal.....\$6,500.00  
Total Pledged.....\$9,147.00  
% of Goal Pledged.....141%  
Total Received.....\$4,110.00

Thank you to all who have given to the **Catholic Services Appeal** already. Blessings to all.

**BLESSINGS TO EVERYONE FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF ST. ANN.**

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



The sanctuary lamp is given for the honor and glory of God and in memory of....  
+Johnny Perez Sr.



Please pray for the needs of our  
parishioners & friends

Tom Arredondo  
Pauline Sanchez  
Fr. Joven Saavedra  
Karen Eckert  
Tony Hlavaty  
Saundra Arredondo  
Kathy Oinonen

Casey Oinonen  
Janice Crook  
David Orozco  
Linda Hays  
Toni Watkins  
Kaden Justin  
Mario Munoz

Gloria Villarreal  
Miguel Bonilla  
Matilde Orozco  
Jackie Beck  
Bobby Villarreal  
Lucia Orozco  
Glen Cason



PRAY FOR OUR  
MILITARY PERSONNEL

Col. Cesar Rodriguez  
Jerry Gutierrez  
Tommy Polansky  
Col. Jennifer Hlavaty  
Alejandro Irizarry Zaharis  
Maj. Joseph H. Dannenbaum, IV, MD  
Maj. Carolyn R. Hetrick, DDS

1LT Christopher M. Torres  
Alan Turner  
Lt.Col. Jarrett Hlavaty

### Next Week's Ministers

	Sun. May 29 9:00a
Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion	None until further notice
Greeters/Ushers	Buddy Walters Merle Beck
Lectors	Theresa Perez
Altar Servers	Benjamin Zapalac Preston Rodriguez

### Mass Intentions

Sun. May 22	9:00a	For the People and for +Valeria Schoppe
Wed. May 25	9:00a	+Rudolph Hernandez
Fri. May 27	4:00p 5:00p	Adoration +Dorothy Woods
Sun. May 29	9:00a	For the People and for +Gerónima Perez

Pray for the Unborn

## 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 with others.



### ADORATION— 4pm On the last Friday of the month

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.

### Apostolate

	Wed. May 25	Wed. June 1
Collection Counting	Del Orozco Tom Hodges	Tom Hodges David Salinas

**GREAT NEWS!!!** The Online EIM Training is again available in English and Spanish. The links will close again on January 2, 2023. This is a wonderful opportunity for anyone who needs to update their EIM training. New applicants must still attend an in-person EIM workshop within 60 days of application submission. **If you do not recall your ID/password, click Forgot ID? or Password? on the Login page.**

Here are the links to the online training: English:

[www.austindiocese.org/onlineeimtraining](http://www.austindiocese.org/onlineeimtraining)

and Spanish:

[www.austindiocese.org/taller-de-eim](http://www.austindiocese.org/taller-de-eim).

### Upcoming EIM Workshops in the area:

8/1/2022....6:30-8:30pm.....Holy Family, Lexington

### Around the Diocese

#### Drive-Thru Meal

When: Sunday, May 22, 2022

Where: Columbus Hall in Fayetteville

What: Fried Pork Steak and Sausage with butter potatoes and green beans; serving from 11am until sold out; plates—\$12.00

#### 31st Annual Czech Kolache Klobase Festival

When: Saturday, June 11, 2022

Where: Riverside Hall in East Bernard

What: sausage/BBQ Chicken Plate lunch—sit down or drive thru, indoor entertainment; see flyer on bulletin board

#### Bazaar & Picnic

When: Sunday, May 29, 2022

Where: St. Joseph in Dimebox

What: BBQ meal; silent auction; country store; more

## ST ANN PARISH MINISTRIES...*come and be with us*

<p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>St. Ann's Gift Shop</i></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Open on the 1st Sunday of the month</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Will open again on June 5th</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Looking for a gift for birthday, Father's Day?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Come by and see what we have.</p>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p><b>Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center</b> <b>in Belton</b></p> <p>(254)780-2436 <a href="http://www.cedarbrake.org">www.cedarbrake.org</a> <a href="mailto:cedarbrake@austindiocese.org">cedarbrake@austindiocese.org</a></p> </div>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Caldwell KC Council 6366</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Monthly Council Meeting</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">1st Thursday of the Month</p> <p style="text-align: center;">St. Mary's Parish Hall</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Sample</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>In memory of</i></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <p>+Sr. Rocio Hurtado Mendoza</p> <p>+Josephine Arredondo</p> <p>+Juanita Pedraza Vittonel</p> <p>+Pauline Sifuentes</p> <p>+Simon "Sam" Vasquez</p> <p>+Dorothy Woods</p> <p>+Connie Moreno</p> <p>+Angelita (ET) Munoz</p> <p>+Sr. Mary John Della Morte</p> <p>+Robert Hays III</p> <p>+Lorenzo "Larry" Moreno, Sr.</p> <p>+Carroll Discher</p> <p>+Michael Discher</p> <p>+Valeria Schoppe</p> <p>+Benino "Ben" Orozco</p> <p>+Cecilia Negrete Baca</p> <p>+Milady Kristof</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> </div>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sample</p>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p>RED-C Radio KEDC 88.5 FM</p> <p>Religious Education for The Domestic Church</p> <p>Listen online: <a href="http://www.redcradio.org">www.redcradio.org</a></p> </div> </div>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sample</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Talk Radio for Catholic Life 970 AM <a href="http://www.relevantradio.com">www.relevantradio.com</a></p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
<p><b><u>From the Office:</u></b></p> <p>Anyone wishing to register as a member of St. Ann, please fill out a registration form and mail it to the office. The registration forms can be found at the entrance to the church. For questions or for more information, please call the office (979) 596-1966.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sample</p>	<p><b><u>Reminder:</u></b></p> <p>The following are dispensed from attending Mass and may remain at home to watch a live stream Mass if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>You are sick</li> <li>65 or older</li> <li>Advised by health care workers not to attend</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;">Upcoming Events</p> <p>May 27: Adoration-4pm; Mass-5pm</p> <p>May 30: Memorial Day</p> <p>June 1: No 9:00am Mass</p> <p>June 5: SAAM Food Collection</p> <p>June 19: Father's Day</p> <p>June 24: Adoration—pm; Mass—5pm</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>Pray for Vocations</i></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">New Vocation Director: Rev. Greg Gerhart</p> <p style="text-align: center;">If you know of anyone interested or is not sure, have them visit the Vocations website: <a href="http://Godiscalling.me">Godiscalling.me</a> On the diocesan website</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS HERE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$180 FOR 12 MONTHS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$45 FOR 3 MONTHS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$7.50 FOR ONE WEEK</p> <p style="text-align: center;">St. Ann Catholic Church PO Box 99 Somerville, TX 77879 Office 979-596-1966 <a href="http://www.saintann-somerville.org">www.saintann-somerville.org</a></p>