

*St. Mary Catholic Church
Windthorst, TX*

St. Mary / St. Boniface Vision Statement

To serve Christ and
promote
His teachings
through Worship,
Education,
Training, Service,
and
COMMUNITAS



*St. Boniface Catholic Church
Scotland, TX*

Father Michael Moloney, O. F. S., PASTOR

"There's no such thing as a bad priest, just priests whose people don't pray enough for them." St. John Vianney

Mailing Address for Both Churches

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Closed on Tuesdays

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BAPTISMAL PREPARATION

on the 3rd Sunday of the month at 9:15 A.M.
contact the office for dates and to register for classes

Marriage Preparation

contact the office at least nine to 12 months prior
to wedding date

RCIA

contact Fr. Michael at 423-6687

Funerals

in the case of a death in the family, please contact the office as
soon as possible.

Ministry to the Sick

contact the office immediately if you know of anyone
who is sick, hospitalized or home-bound

Confession

Every Saturday Saturday 3:00 – 4:00 pm

At the Church Office

Hispanic Ministry

Tuesday & Thursday in Convent
Call Oscar or Alma Contreras at 423-6918 or 940-224-8183

Protecting Our Children Sessions

Call Sharon Humpert @ 423-6283

Mass Schedule for the Week

Please wear a mask & practice social distancing at all
Masses. Sunday & Wednesday services will be live-
streamed.

Monday

6:00 pm

September 28 – St. Mary's

Living & Deceased Members of
4th Degree K of C by 4th Degree K of C

Tuesday

September 29 – St. Mary's

Intentions of Fr. Michael

Wednesday

6:00 pm

September 30 – St. Mary's

† Melvin Berend by Joey Schroeders

Thursday

6:00 pm

October 1 – St. Boniface

† Evelyn Krahel by St. Boniface Mother's Soc.

Friday

7:25 am

October 2 – St. Mary's

Word & Worship

3:00 pm

† Andy Berend by Kenny Berends

Saturday

8:00 am

October 3 – St. Mary's

1st Saturday Devotion - Peace & Unity

5:00 pm

Wedding

Sunday

8:00 am

October 4 – St. Boniface

† Marie Teichman by Donna & Amanda

Sunday

10:30 am

October 4 – St. Mary's

† Lorine Wolf by Paulline Wolf

ST. MARY'S MINISTERS

Monday September 28th – October 4th, 2020

SATURDAY OCTOBER 3rd

Lector – Wedding

Ushers – Wedding

Eucharistic Ministers – Wedding

SUNDAY OCTOBER 4th

Lector – Kristi Veitenheimer

Ushers – David McCann, Donnie Fleitman, Terry Schroeder

Eucharistic Ministers – Shelley Schlumpf & Dawn Vieth

SUPPORT – Envelopes \$ 3315.00 Loose \$35.00

Children \$8.00

ST. BONIFACE MINISTERS

Monday September 28th – OCTOBER 4th, 2020

SUNDAY OCTOBER 4th

Lector – Pat Hemmi

Ushers – Dan Smith & Kenneth Veitenheimer

Eucharistic Minister – Terry Berend & Brad Wolf

SUPPORT – Envelopes \$2045.00 Loose \$20.00

ST. MARY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN THIS WEEK for Peace & Unity of Our Country.

BAPTISMAL CLASSES are offered on the third Sunday of the month at 9:15 a.m. Classes need to be attended by Parents and Godparents. Baptismal classes need to be refreshed every three years. You may attend the class before the baby is born. Please call the office at 423-6687 or Diane Hubbard at 631-1803 to register. Thank you.

The next Baptism will be Sept. 27th - following 10:30 Mass.

THE REASON FOR HOPE 2021 ANNUAL DIOCESAN

APPEAL: The Annual Diocesan Appeal inspires us to take up the call to generosity and to support the many programs that serve people throughout North Central Texas. When we make this commitment, we are responding to our call to witness to Christ, the reason for our hope. As we strive for 100 percent participation toward our parish goal of **\$20,000.00**, please prayerfully consider what your family will donate to support the needs of others. To learn more, please visit bit.ly/AnnualDiocesanAppeal.

Please return a pledge card even if you are unable to donate. We are striving for 100 % participation. Please help us reach both goals. There are pledge cards in the office & on tables in Church, in case you need one. Thanks.

THANK YOU NOTE: St. Mary's would like to thank the following for their generous donation to St. Mary's Improvement Fund in memory of Gary Brewer:

Frank & Joyce Wolf

Margaret Beanman

4th DEGREE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS meeting after Mass on **Monday, September 28th**.

ST. MARY'S CHRISTIAN MOTHER'S SOCIETY will hold their regular meeting on October 7th after Mass and Novena around 7:15. Hope to see you there!! **Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.**

ST. BONIFACE ANNOUNCEMENTS

SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN THIS WEEK for all suffering from the corona virus and for the Good Lord to send a cure by Altar Society.

7 DAY LIGHTS – For Sammy Cruse, may he rest in peace by Robert & Debbie Krah.

WEEKLY BULLETINS: Since the Church is locked most of the week days, the bulletins will be placed in the bulletin board at the entrance of Church after Mass each Sunday if you would like to pick one up.

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SCOTLAND SENIOR CITIZENS will have a carry out meal on Sunday, October 11th at noon at the K of C Hall. "All seniors please come – there will be plenty.

THANK YOU NOTE: St. Boniface would like to thank James & Gwen Teichman for their generous donation to St. Boniface Cemetery Fund in memory of Valera Churchman.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR BOTH PARISHES

THE PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE is in the home of Stella & Ron Hoffman the week of September 27th. They as well as all of us are asked to pray for world peace, military and vocations.

October 4th Bert Hoffs

October 11th Joseph Zott Family

Confessions: Father Michael will be hearing confessions on Saturdays at the Church Office from 3:00 to 4:00pm. All parishioners of St. Boniface & St. Mary's please take note of the time and place. **There will be no Confessions Saturday October 3rd OR October 10th.**

ACTS OF CHARITY: Please wear a mask at all Masses and practice social distancing (3 ft. apart). This is an act of charity to our neighbors when we practice social distancing & wear a mask.

Missed the Commitment Weekend?

It's not too late to support the ministries of the Annual Diocesan Appeal and help your parish reach its goal.



The Reason

FOR OUR HOPE

2021 ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

MASS TIME CHANGES: Friday Masses will be at 3:00 pm beginning September 18th. Monday Masses will be at 12:00 noon except the 4th Monday of each month. **PLEASE WATCH THE BULLETIN FOR MASS TIME CHANGES THROUGHOUT THE MONTH.**

NOTICE: Due to the coronavirus surge, we would like to ask that you call the office to make an appointment for any type of transaction, such as a visit with Father Michael, book the hall (For the future), or any type of concern you might have at this time. First of all it is to make sure the person you would like to speak with is in the office the time you plan to come by. We also ask that you wear a mask. This is for the protection of all concerned..we have the health and safety of our visitors in mind. You may continue to drop off bulletin notices, requests for lighs in the slot of the office door. You may also drop off your stewardship donations if you would like. Even though the Church is serving a 50% capacity, the bills still continue. Thank you for your understanding.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC:We will hold an immunization clinic in Windthorst on **Thursday, October 1, at the Berend Family Center.**

DSHS vaccines will be by appointment only and clients are requested to call our office at 940-574-2159 to schedule a time.

Flu shots will be available at this clinic. Clinic hours are 9:00 to 12:00 and 1:00 to 3:30. Ricky Schroeder from United Pharmacy will also provide flu shots to those with insurance and Medicare on a walk-in basis.

WINDTHORST FAMILY LIFE & MISSION OUTREACH meet **Wednesday, September 30th**, at 5:00 p.m in the Classroom of St. Mary's Parish Hall to fill boxes for the food distribution on Thursday.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION will be on **Thursday, Ovtober 1st**, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. (or until all boxes are distributed) in the Parish Hall Meeing Room.

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER- "Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last." We are called to give 100% in our marriage. Learn how to be the best spouse you can be by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next "virtual" Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends is Nov. 13 - 15,2020. To apply, visit our website at: <http://www.dfwme.org>. For more information e-mail apply@dfwme.org or call Brian and Tina Little 281-773-9014. "Entones los ultimos seran los primeros y los primeros los ultimos." Estamos llamados a dar el 100% en nuestro matrimonio. Aprende como puedes ser el mejor esposo/a participando en un fin de semand del encuentro Matrimonial Mundial. Para mas informacion de Encuentro Matrimonial en Espanol, escriba a emmddf@dfwme.org o visite <http://www.emmseccion21.org/>

SAVE THE DATE: October 10, 2020. Each year, beginning in 2007, America Needs Fatima holds the Public Square Rosary Crusade, with thousands of rosary rallies in cities all across the country.

In 2017, there were 21,570 rallies and in 2018, there were 21,145 groups simultaneously praying for our country and the world all across America.

These Public Square Rosary Rallies take place on the closest Saturday to October 13, feast of the last apparition of Our Lady of Fatima and the Miracle of the Sun. This year America Needs Fatima hopes to have 20,000 rallies all across America.

The date this year is **October 10th and St. Mary's will be having Mass at 8:00am & The Rosary following.** If the weather is nice The Rosary will be held at The Grotto . If the weather is unacceptable The Rosary will be said after Mass in Church.

COURT QUEEN OF PEACE CDA #2710 GARAGE SALE: Friday, Oct. 2nd 4:00 pm - 7:00pm & Saturday, Oct. 3rd 7:00am - 1:00pm. Our Lady Queen of Peace Great Hall (4040 York St.) Everyone must wear a mask/face covering, limited number of people in the building at the same time(You may experience a line), Sanitize your hands before entering and when leaving.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES will have funds available soon from the Richardson Foundation for our rural parishes. If you have anyone or family that needs rental, utility or food assistance, please let us know. Also, counseling is always available through the St. Joseph's Fund. For questions or more information please contact **CatholicCharitiesFortWorth.org** or **eklement@ccdofw.org.**

SCOTLAND-WINDTHORST VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS(VFW) POST 2676 AND ITS AUXILIARY are announcing this year's VFW "Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen Schoarship Competitions" and the Citizenship Teacher of the Year award competition.

In the Voice of Democracy, high school students must write and record a 3 to 5 minute essay on the theme using an audio CD or flash drive and present their recording, typed essay and completed entry from to Scotland-Windthorst VFW Post 2676. The theme for 2020-21 is **"Is This the Country the Founders Envisioned?"** The Post winners Will earn scholarship money of \$300 for 1st, \$150 for 2nd & \$75 for 3rd. The Post winner then competes at the District level with the winner advancing to the state competition.

The Patriot's Pen essay competition is for students in grades 6-8. This competition challenges students to write a 300-400 word essay on a patriotic theme. The theme for 2020-21 is **"What is Patriotism to Me?"** Students begin at the local Post level where they can earn scholarship money of \$150 for 1st, \$75 for 2nd & \$50 for 3rd. The Post winner advances to District competition with the winner advancing to the state competition.

The **Citizenship Teacher of the Year** award recognizes **elementary, junior high and high school** teachers who teach citizenship education topics regularly and promote America's history/traditions effectively. Post 2676 will select one teacher in each category who will be awarded \$100 each. Winners will advance to district competiotion with the chance of earning state and national wards. Nominations can be submitted by fellow teachers, supervisors or other interested individuals (not relatives). Self-nominees are not eligible.

Official entry forms are due to Post 2676 by **November 15, 2020.** Eligibility requirements/official entry forms can be obtained from your school counselors or principal or by emailing the Post 2676 Program Chairman, David Teichman, at **dateichman@gmailcom** or by phone at 940-636-1566. Call or email the Program Chairman to obtain information on how to turn in your completed entries.

RHINELAND ANNUAL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SAUSAGE & FRIED CHICKEN DINNER drive by plates only. Rhineland, TX, Sunday, October 11th, 11:00 am - 1:30 pm.

Cost is \$12.00 a plate.

MILITARY PRAYER LIST –Charles Berend, Jr. (Navy), Fermin Estrada Jr., (Army), Sgt. Bill Foster, Capt. Sean Fuhrmann (Marines), Lt. Colonel Tony Garcia (Navy), Cpl. Kellen Green (Marine), Luke Grotelueschen (Army), Captain Brian Hoff (Marine), Tracey Hoff (Navy), Damian Hoffman (Army), Master Sgt. Nicholas Klein (Army), Stephen Koetter (Army), Adam Lambert (Army), James Devon Lindeman (Army), PVT Miguel Luna Jr., Jess Martinez (Army), Joshua Millican (Navy), Sgt. Kenneth (K.J.) Nichols (Army), Major David Ogura (Army), Kyle Page (Marine), Frank Prokop, (Colorado Air National Guard), Sgt. Robert Rhinehart, Private Trey Schenk (Marine), Tracy Hoff Schmitt (Army), 1st Class Craig Slaten (Air Force), Staff Sgt. Ricky Smith (Air Force), Judy Solorio (Navy), Staff Sgt. Matthew Tubbs, Sgt. Ann Schreiber Turner (Air Force), Cpl. Logan Veitenheimer (Marine) Josh Winter (Army), Major Audrey Wolf (Army), Zachary Zotz (Army). (If there are any changes or additions please call the office.) Dear Heavenly Father, please protect our troops as they protect us. Bless them and their families for all that they are doing for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus. AMEN

REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS!

John Anderle Jr., Bob Baumer, Conner Berardi, Gerald Berend, Gus Berend, Nellie Berend, Patience Blake, J.C. Birkenfield, Teresa Lindeman Birkenfield, Mabel Bowlden, Gary Brewer, Mark Brockriede, Al Cabrera, David Carcaño, Jesús Colchado, John Deason, Brandy Evans, Danielle Mueller Fontenot, Emily Foster, Jeanne Fischer, Annette Fleitman, Rick Fleitman, Cindy Frerich, Kimberly Fulford, Tootsie Gardner, Beth Geis, Jerry Green, Louise Green, Sister Marie Green, Jerry Gibson, **Judy Hale**, Artie Hallenbeck, Gary Humpert, Pat Humpert, Billie Hoff, Debbie Hoff, Ernie Hoff, Frosty Hoff, Ida Hoff, JoAnn Hoff, Marvin Hoff Sr., Pauline Hoff, Willie L. Hoff, Myra Hoffman, Libby Ingram, Karen Lowe, C.D. Knobloch, Elsie Koetter, Nick Koetter, Dee Litteken, Agnes Loran, Louis Lowe, Brian Lucore, Kyler Marlar, Annette Meurer, Jess Meurer, Hans Meyer, Madi Scogin, Skylar Mueller, Kim Nelson, Travis Nelson, Jerry Ostermann, Rita Pearson, Nancy Pennartz, Colby Peterson, Gina Phillips, Phillip Rafferty, Dawson Reynolds, Bradley Rodgers, Cassey Schenk, Frank Schenk, Leonard Schenk Sr., Paul Schenk, Roch Schenk, Rosalie Schenk, Vera Ann Schenk, Agnes Schreiber, Fern Schreiber, Gerald Schreiber, Nelda Schreiber, Roxanne Schreiber, Alex Schroeder, Ashley Schroeder, Bruce Schroeder, Carolyn Schroeder, Cyril Schroeder, Hans Schroeder, Lauren Schroeder, Linda Schroeder, Mary Lou Schroeder, Rosalee Schroeder, Ryan Schroeder, Helen Seigler, Henri Seto, Debbie Shifflett, Geneva Simpson, Jim Simpson, Lisa Smith, Sis Smith, Weldon Snyder, Kate Talley, Margaret Green Tift, Trent Tipton, Randy Townsend, Ann Veitenheimer, Anna Mae Veitenheimer, John Veitenheimer, Ralph Veitenheimer, Gayle Vieth, James Vieth, Tim Vieth, David Williams, Debbie Williams, Charles Winkles, Sarah Witten, Jim Wolf, Kenny Wolf, Larry Wolf, Martha Wolf, Pauline Wolf, Alphonse Zotz Jr., Bruce Zotz, Chuck Zotz, Harola Zotz.

If you wish your name removed or there are any changes, please call the office. Prayer of the Faithful:

Lord Jesus, we lift those on our weekly list to you; You are the healer of the sick and we keep praying and hoping for those who are ill. May we continue to pray for all who are sick and hurting and may your peace come to each and every one of us. Amen

ST. MARY'S 7-DAY LIGHTS Complete healing for Gerald, Our family, Our Moms, Jim & Geneva Simpson, Ernie & Billie Hoff, Larry Wolf, Gerry & Annette Meurer, Successful school year for all students and staff by Gerald & Sherry; Lance Tahler & Patrick, +Al Veitenheimer, Happy Birthday, Stella & Ronnie, Sherry & Steve Schroeder, Ida Hoff, Carol Campbell, Ann Veitenheimer, Bobby & Pat, Doug & Betty, Ernie & Billie Mae, Louis & Karen Lowe, Larry Wolf, Butch & Pat, Gary Brewer Family, Father Michael, Catechists & Church Helpers, by Ralph & Clara; Ernie & Billie Mae, Gary & Annette, JoAnn, Our Family, Better Health by Charles & Glenda; Edith Townsend by CDA #296; Healing for Linette & Cyril & Jim by Mom; Rick Fleitman by Grandma; Our Sick Members, For an Increase in Priestly & Consecrated Life Vocations, Students of WISD/CDA #296 Members by Catholic Daughters Court#296

YEARLY LIGHTS: Joe & Magdalena Lindeman by Family; For my family & in memory of +Henry & +Troy Pennartz by Hillary; For all battling cancer by Charles & Joyce Vieth; In Memory of +Janice, +Ed & +Catherine, Lois Luig, + Nanci Luig Carr & +Geraldine Lindemann by Eddie Luig Family; For World Peace and safety of our Military, especially for Damian Hoffman (Army), David Ogura (Army), & Zachary Zotz (Army) by Grandmommy; For Jeanne & Family, Ray & Myra & Family, Chuck & Diane & Family, Terry & Kathy & Family, Dolores Sumner & Family by Frances Hoffman; Living & Deceased Members of Catholic Life Insurance Branch #30; Our Family & For The Safety of Our Military by Ralph & Clara; For +Joe Schreiber & +Joseph Schreiber by Agnes Schreiber; For Mom by Johnnie & Alice; For Students of W.I.S.D. & C.D.A. #296 Members by C.D.A. #296; The Holy Spirit's Daily Guidance in Endeavors for each member of my family by Donor; For +Lawrence & +Helen Berend Family by Terry & Carol Sales; For Our Family by Joe & Lugenia Zotz; +Arnold & +Lillian Lindeman by the Family; +Thomas & +Leona Schlumpf by Danny Schlumpf Family; Ben's safety by Mom & Dad; For our Family by Frank & Joyce Wolf; For all our Family by Don & Benita Essler; For Our Family by Bernard & Pat Scheffe; Sick & Hurting of St. Mary's Christian Mother's Society by the Christian Mothers; For my Family & for Bruce by Anna Mae Veitenheimer; Safety of Volunteer Firemen, Safety of Ben Wolf, Gina Loran, Brett Hoff, Kevin Schroeder, Corey George, & Greg Schlumpf, Living and Deceased Members of Charles & Mary Lindemann family by Benny Lindeman; Thank you for all the graces & blessings received for our Country, Community & Family by Bert & Elizabeth Hoff; Living & Deceased Members of Alphonse & Caroline Zotz by the Family; For our Family by George & Juanita Martin; My Family by Margaret Beaman; My Family; Living & Deceased members of Himmels Family, For my family & For +Al Veitenheimer by Ann Veitenheimer; Dad & Mom by Nubbin & Angela; +Floyd & Betty Humpert by the Family; For Our Family & In Memory of +Alfred Berend by Cordella; Guidance & Protection for our Military Service Men & Women by V.F.W.

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Sunday, Sep 27, 2020

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Still time to change your mind

One of the lovely things about having a mind is that you can change it. A working brain takes in new information, reflects on it, and makes connections. Sometimes the result is a revised perspective on ideas you thought were chiseled in stone. People of faith also pray for wisdom and inspiration, which can be troubling prayers to have answered if you're banking on the status quo. Jesus told his followers that folks they had counted out of the circle of grace were being counted in by God. A thoughtful faith will be able to absorb the divine curveballs.

TODAY'S READINGS: Ezekiel 18:25-28; Philippians 2:1-11; Matthew 21:28-32 (136). "Son, go out and work in the vineyard today." He said in reply, "I will not."

Monday, Sep 28, 2020

MEMORIAL OF LAWRENCE RUIZ AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS

Make an offering of your life

Saint Lorenzo Ruiz, patron saint of the Philippines and the first canonized Filipino martyr, died in 1637 and was elevated to sainthood in 1987. A Dominican-educated altar boy who grew up to become a clerk, marry, and have children, he was falsely accused of murder and fled on a ship to Japan in the company of missionaries. Once there, he was arrested and tortured for being a Christian, but he refused to recant his faith and was executed, saying, "Had I a thousand lives, all these to Him shall I offer." What sacrifices are you willing to make for your faith?

TODAY'S READINGS: Job 1:6-22; Luke 9:46-50 (455). "Whoever receives me receives the one who sent me."

Tuesday, Sep 29, 2020

FEAST OF MICHAEL, GABRIEL, AND RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS

Pray for heavenly healing

Some Christians call today "Michaelmass," for Michael the archangel. And indeed, among the three archangels the Catholic Church honors today, the mighty Michael—depicted in art battling Satan—is probably best known. Almost as well known is Gabriel, who announces to Mary that she will conceive by the power of the Holy Spirit and bear the Messiah. Raphael is least familiar. But, as the angel most known for healing—his name meaning "God's medicine"—Raphael is arguably the heavenly help we need right now. Ask for Saint Raphael's intercession today, to heal a world reeling from a pandemic.

TODAY'S READINGS: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 or Revelation 12:7-12a; John 1:47-51 (647). "You will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending."

Wednesday, Sep 30, 2020

MEMORIAL OF JEROME, PRIEST, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

Being a saint doesn't make you perfect

Saint Jerome (345-420) is a highly regarded scholar of the church who translated the Bible from the original Hebrew and Greek into Latin. He was also a complex human being whose crabby nature sometimes complicated his life. In other words, he was fully human. In addition to his enduring Latin translation, called the Vulgate, there are many homilies, quotes, letters, and commentaries attributed to Jerome. This quote is one to contemplate on his feast day: "It is our part to seek, His to grant what we ask; ours to make a beginning, His to bring it to

completion; ours to offer what we can, His to finish what we cannot."

TODAY'S READINGS: Job 9:1-12, 14-16; Luke 9:57-62 (457). "Let my prayer come before you, Lord. Daily I call upon you."

Thursday, Oct 01, 2020

MEMORIAL OF THERÈSE OF THE CHILD JESUS, VIRGIN, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

Love greatly in small ways

Saint Thérèse of Lisieux is one of the most accessible role models ever canonized. Her spirituality, affectionately known as the "Little Way," is a path anyone in any walk of life can follow because its central tenet is simple (though not easy to follow!): "What matters in life is not great deeds, but great love." She lived a short, quiet life as a French Carmelite nun, modeling the conviction that people can live in profound union with God simply by carrying out our daily tasks with a loving spirit. Choose one task today that you can carry out with loving kindness.

TODAY'S READINGS: Job 19:21-27; Luke 10:1-12 (458). "Yet know this: the kingdom of God is at hand."

Friday, Oct 02, 2020

MEMORIAL OF THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS

Watching over you

The Catechism of the Catholic Church is clear about the existence of angels. "The existence of the spiritual, non-corporeal beings that Sacred Scripture usually calls 'angels' is a truth of faith. The witness of Scripture is as clear as the unanimity of Tradition." In Genesis 16, Hagar's angel rescues her. In Exodus 23, when God told Moses to lead the people, he said, "My angel will go before you." In Numbers 22, an angel kept the oracle Balaam from the mistake of cursing Israel. Psalm 91 says that God "commands his angels . . . to guard you wherever you go." In the Book of Tobit, young Tobias is accompanied by the Archangel Raphael. Angels are the loving care of God personified in celestial beings, God faithfully standing at our side. You can call on angelic support in your time of need.

TODAY'S READINGS: Job 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5 (459); Matthew 18:1-5, 10 (650). "Their angels in heaven always look upon the face of my heavenly Father."

Saturday, Oct 03, 2020

Divinely inspired

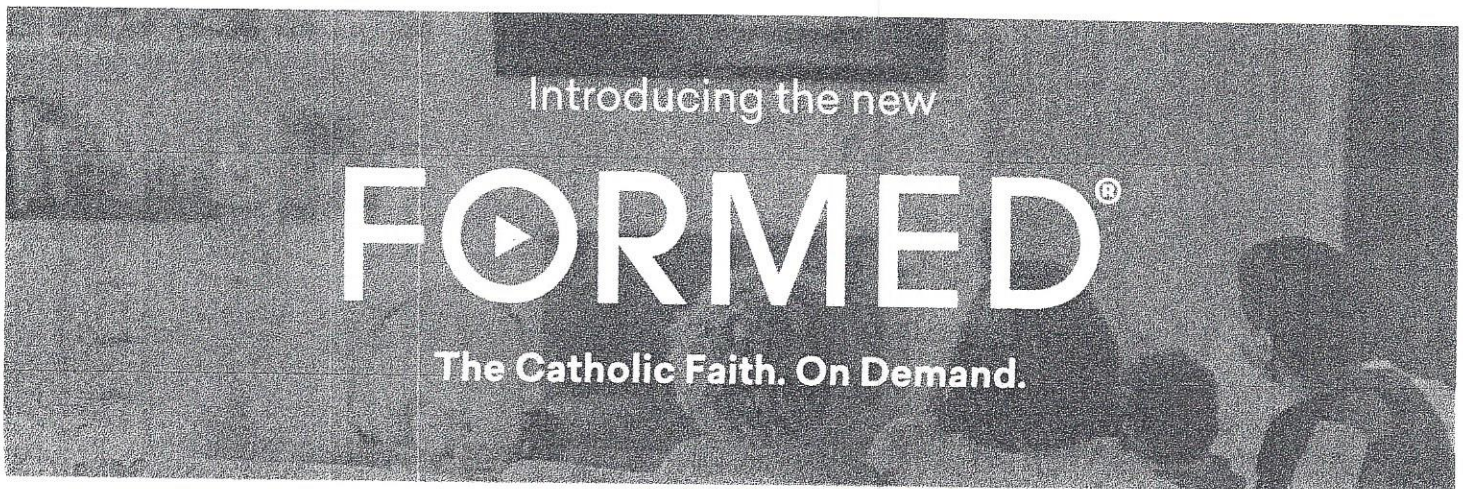
Job is a famous biblical character many of us can admire from a distance but few would take the opportunity to imitate up close. During a pandemic, however, all of us get to taste some of what Job experienced. Job's story invites us to examine a central question: In whom or what do I place my trust? In a time of crisis, we're invited to dig down to a deeper truth underneath the shifting conditions—the unconditional love of God for all of us, regardless of the circumstances. Try offering your own love to others unconditionally and learn something about how God operates.

TODAY'S READINGS: Job 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Luke 10:17-24 (460). "I had heard of you by word of mouth, but now my eye has seen you."

Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time

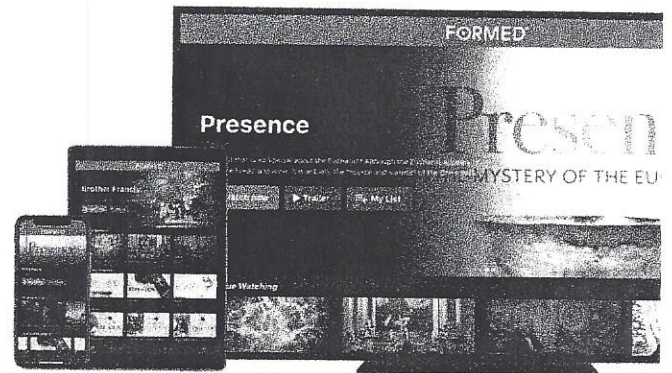


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August 25, 2020

Harvest Moon

Dear Friend of the Vocations Dinner,

For the past few years we have held the Autumn Harvest Moon Celebration and Raffle to raise money for Father Donlon's Memorial Vocations Dinner. Since it has been so successful, we are doing it again this year! We will still have a great dinner, and lots of prizes, music, and we are once again giving away Gift Certificates for our Grand prizes! We will have a Dinner, Drinks, and Door prizes. We will have entertainment throughout the evening, we'll do all this AND make an early night of it!

The Tickets are only \$100.00 dollars each. It is a great value! You get a chance to win some fabulous prizes along with some door prizes and a great dinner for two! Your ticket gets you and a companion in the door for dinner and the chance to win prizes galore!!! So come have dinner with us on October 3, 2020. Doors will open at 6:00 and dinner will be ready at 7:30pm.

Grand Prize - \$1500.00 in Gift Certificates

(\$750 at Walmart & 750 at United Marketplace)

2nd Prize - \$750 Gift Certificate at Lowe's

3rd Prize - \$250 Gift Certificate at Dillards

4th Prize - \$100 Gift Certificate at Academy

NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN

Schedule

Saturday, October 3rd

KC Hall - Turtle Creek Rd.

6:00-7:30 - Social

7:30 - Dinner

6:30 - Door Prize Drawings Start

9:00 - Grand Prize Drawing

Tickets go on sale on August 25, 2020 - buy yours from Mike Brown or you may purchase yours by mail. When purchasing by mail, please do so before September 25, 2020 so that there is time to get your dinner tickets to you. An envelope has been provided for your convenience. Please make all checks payable to Father Donlon's Memorial Vocations Dinner.

This is our Annual Fund-raiser for Father Donlon's Memorial Vocations Dinner 2020. So please help us out, we count on your support. For more information call Mike Brown 692-5166.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

☐ I will attend the dinner - _____ (number attending)

☐ I will not attend the dinner - *need not be present to win*

Number of Tickets _____

x \$100.00 = _____

Total Enclosed _____

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Return this form and your check in the enclosed envelope to:

Mike Brown

4335 York St.

Wichita Falls, TX 76309

Please return by September 25, 2020

Knights of Columbus Council # 1473

Harvest Moon

**Social Distancing
will take place
at this dinner.
Need not be
present to win
one of the four
major prizes.**



SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

My Jesus,

I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love you above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

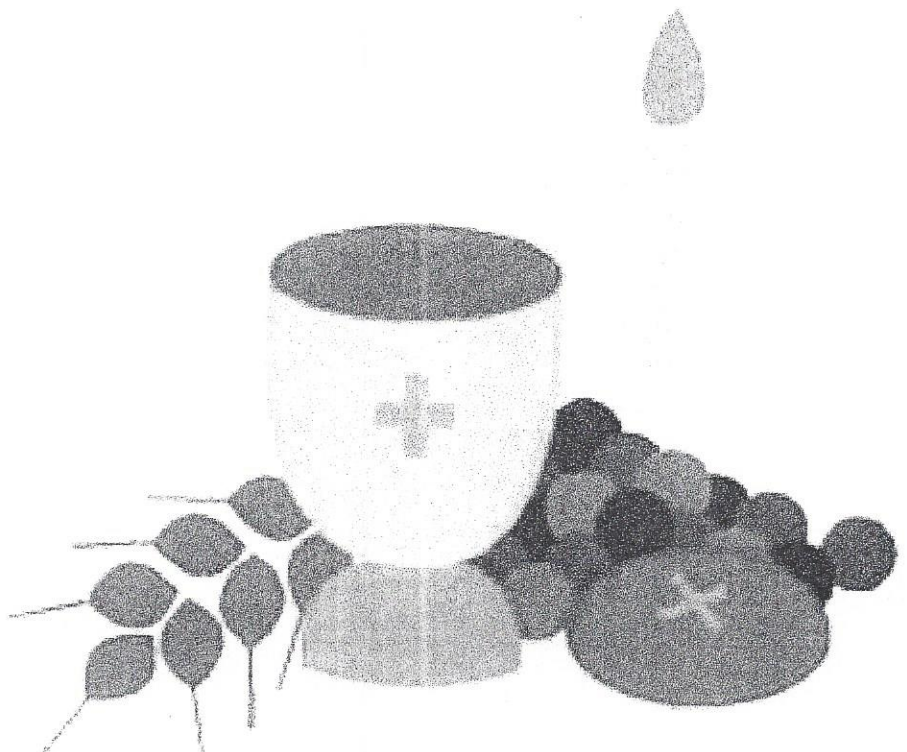
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

Prayer provided by Dr. Edward Sri



SEPTEMBER 26, 2020 – OCTOBER 23, 2020

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<p>SATURDAY SEPT. 26 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 NOON Confessions 3:00 – 4:00 At the Church office St. Mary's' Mass 5:00PM RCIA Annunciation Live-streamed at 5 Please wear a mask & practice social distancing .</p>	<p>SUNDAY SEPT. 27 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME St.Boniface Mass 8:00 AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Baptism after 10:30AM Mass Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed</p>	<p>MONDAY SEPT. 28 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's 6pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. 4th Degree K of C after Mass</p>	<p>TUESDAY SEPT. 29 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's Church Office closed</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY SEPT. 30 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's 6:00 pm Adoration 6:30 pm Chaplet 6:30pm Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed Family Life & Mission Outreach 5pm</p>	<p>THURSDAY OCT. 1 St. Mary's Prayer 7:25am Mass St. Boniface 6pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing Immunization Clinic Food Distribution 9a11am</p>	<p>FRIDAY OCT. 2 1st Friday Word & Worship St. Mary's 7:25 am Mass St. Mary's 3:00pm</p>
<p>SATURDAY OCT. 3 1st Saturday Mass St. Mary's 8:00am St. Mary's' Mass 5:00PM Wedding at 5:00PM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing .</p>	<p>SUNDAY OCT. 4 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME St.Boniface Mass 8:00 AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed</p>	<p>MONDAY OCT. 5 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.</p>	<p>TUESDAY OCT. 6 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's Church Office closed</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY OCT. 7 CCD 7:25am K-12 Youth Mass St. Mary's 6:00 pm Adoration 6:30 pm Chaplet 6:30 pm Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed St. Mary's Mother's meeting after Mass St. Boniface Mother's meeting 7pm</p>	<p>THURSDAY OCT. 8 St. Mary's Prayer 7:25am Mass St. Boniface 6pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.</p>	<p>FRIDAY OCT. 9 Word & Worship St. Mary's 7:25 am Mass St. Mary's 3:00pm</p>
<p>SATURDAY OCT. 10 Mass St. Mary's 8:00am St. Mary's' Mass 5:00PM Wedding at 5:00PM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing .</p>	<p>SUNDAY OCT. 11 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME St.Boniface Mass 8:00 AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed Scotland Sr. Citizens</p>	<p>MONDAY OCT. 12 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. VFW & VFW Ladies Aux. 7pm</p>	<p>TUESDAY OCT. 13 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's Church Office closed St. Boniface Prayer Hour</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY OCT. 14 CCD 7:25am K-12 Youth Mass St. Mary's 6:00pm Adoration 6:30pm Chaplet 6:30pm Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed. 3rd Degree K of C #1824 3rd Degree K of C #1715</p>	<p>THURSDAY OCT. 15 St. Mary's Prayer 7:25am Mass St. Boniface 6pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.</p>	<p>FRIDAY OCT 16 Word & Worship St. Mary's 7:25 am Mass St. Mary's 3:00pm</p>
<p>SATURDAY OCT. 17 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 NOON Confessions 3:00 – 4:00 At the Church office St. Mary's' Mass 5:00PM Spanish Mass 7:00PM Live-streamed at 5 Please wear a mask & practice social distancing .</p>	<p>SUNDAY OCT. 18 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME St.Boniface Mass 8:00 AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed</p>	<p>MONDAY OCT. 19 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.</p>	<p>TUESDAY OCT. 20 Mass St. Mary's CCD 7:25am Church Office closed</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY OCT 21 CCD 7:25am K-12 Youth Mass St. Mary's 6:00pm Adoration 6:30pm Chaplet 6:30pm Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed</p>	<p>THURSDAY OCT. 22 St. Mary's Prayer 7:25am Mass St. Boniface 6pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing</p>	<p>FRIDAY OCT. 23 Word & Worship St. Mary's 7:25 am Mass St. Mary's 3:00pm</p>