

NOVEMBER 27, 2016

First Sunday of Advent

MASSES

SAT. 6:00 P.M. FAMILY ROSARY

6:30 P.M. +Annie Pratka, Anniv.; +Joseph & Anna Karlik; +Ted Kocian; and Thanksgiving for the Birthday of Josephine Kocian

SUN. 7:30 A.M. +Bernice Hornak; +Fred Matula; +Joe & Marie Mynarcik; and +Joe & Lillian Filer

SUN. 9:00 A.M. +Vickie & Julius Filer; +Marcella Kaska; +Nicholas Van Pelt; and +Lucille Isom

SUN. 10:30 A.M. +Louis V. Sykora, Anniv.

SUN. Spanish Mass (Noon) Parish Family

MON 6:30 P.M. +George Prnka

TUES. 6:30 A.M. (CONFESSION FOLLOWING MASS) Special Intention JCP; and +Roy Hutyra

WED. 5:00 P.M. Rosary

6:30 P.M. +Eugene Snapka

THURS. 6:30 A.M. +Roy Hutyra

FRI. 8:15 A.M.(Children)+Andrew Hlavenka, BD

FRI. 10:00 A.M. Rest Haven +Joe Mynarcik

NEXT SAT. 6:00 P.M. FAMILY ROSARY

6:30 P.M. +Raymond J. Hromadka, Sr.; +Henry & Antonia Nors; +Josephine Nors; +Shelia Brown; +Joe Nors; +Edith Nors; +Bob Nors; +Gary Shepherd; +Edward Nors; +Ted Kaska; +Henry Nors, Jr.; +Anton & Rosie Kolar; +Harry Kolar; +Darrell Dan Kolar; and +Ernest Nors

NEXT SUN. 7:30 A.M.+Jerry Grones; +Bernice Hornak; +Irene Kaska; +Frank J. Karlik, Sr., Anniv.; +Vinc Nemec, Anniv., BD; +Tom Mynar; and Deceased Members of St. Anne's Altar Society

NEXT SUN. 9:00 A.M. +Robert & Ruth Dudik; +Marcella Kaska; and +James Nors

NEXT SUN. 10:30 A.M. +Patsy Picha

NEXT SUN. Spanish (Noon) Parish Family

PLAN AHEAD – PARISH PENANCE SERVICE WILL BE HELD ON DECEMBER 14 AFTER THE 6:30 P.M. MASS.

December 3-4 SATURDAY

Lector – Kearstyn Woodard

Gift Bearers – Steve & Ann Vanek

Altar Servers – Dayla Woodard, Anthony Williams, Johnathon Nors

Eucharistic Ministers – Dianne Mendiola, David Woodard, Kim Woodard

SUNDAY 7:30 A.M.

Lector – Mary Mynar

Gift Bearers – Larry & Diana Mynarcik

Eucharistic Ministers – Dennis Gloeckner, Joe & Carolyn Pustejovsky

Altar Servers– Camryn & Bradley Sinkule, Andrew Watson

9:00 A.M.

Lector – Julie Jensen

Gift Bearer – Bill & Dorothy Warren

Altar Servers – Mabri Warren, Caroline & Patrick Janek

Eucharistic Ministers–Mary O'Brien, Rufus & Agnes Lamere

10:30 A.M.

Lector – Nicholas Hovde

Gift Bearers – Dennis Hovde Family

Altar Servers –Ember, George, & Brye Berger

Eucharistic Ministers – Dianne Friend, Darrin & Torie Banik

TODAY -- Our Adult Faith Formation community meets at 9 a.m. in the Parish Center Conference Room. We are beginning a new series - "Lecto Divina" - learning to pray in scripture. Join us in our faith journey as we learn how to grow closer to God with these steps - read, reflect, listen and meditate.

TODAY – 50/50 Club meets in the Parish Center after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

TODAY –We will have a World Youth Day 2019 meeting for those who could not make the first one. It will be this Sunday at 12 in the Parish Hall.

TODAY -- CBSU will meet tonight in the Parish Hall from 5-6:30 p.m. Jr. High and High School groups will meet.

DCYC registration is going on now through the end of the month. DCYC is a 3 day event in Waco for High School Kids. DCYC is the Diocese of Austin Catholic Youth Convention. It is held every year in Waco and around 2,400 teens from all over the Diocese will be there. DCYC will be held on January 27-29. If you have any questions or would like to register for the event-please call or text Jon Hlavenka at 254-733-3181.

TODAY – St. Mary's School Fall Raffle will be held on December 11. Only 300 tickets will be sold. Tickets cost \$100 each. There are 13 prizes. Top prize is a \$10,000 Visa card. Tickets may be purchased at school or church office. They are also available from Mike Gerik, Ryan Janek, John Simcik, Joanna Rogers, Liz Muska, Mike Lednicki or Janice Hutyra.

TODAY - REICHER RALLY : Open House on Sunday, December 4th, 1-3 p.m. Talk with faculty, staff and current parents; receive information on curriculum, tuition, financial aid and services; learn about athletics, clubs and student life from current students; and tour the facilities. For more information, call David at 254-752-8349.

MONDAY – RCIA meeting is tonight at 7 p.m. in St. Joseph's hall.

TUESDAY –Adoration & Confession after the 6:30 a.m. Mass. A time for personal prayer.

WEDNESDAY - Family Rosary beginning at 5 p.m. with Eucharistic Adoration in church/Benediction/Confessions 5-6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY -- CCE Classes K - 8 - 6:15 - 7:30.

THURSDAY – Adoration & Confession after the 6:30 a.m. Mass. A time for personal prayer.

THURSDAY - West Conference St. Vincent de Paul Society meeting at 6:15 p.m. in the St. Mary's School Library. Parishioners are welcome to attend.

FRIDAY – Men's Fellowship Group will meet at 6:00 a.m. for breakfast followed by a presentation and discussion from 6:30 to 7:30 a.m.

NEXT SUNDAY - 50/50 Club meets in the Parish Center after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

NEXT SUNDAY - 9th and 11th - 12th grades will meet in the Parish Center at 9 a.m. 10th grade will meet in St. Joseph's Hall at 9 am. All classes will attend 10:30 Mass together after class.

NEXT SUNDAY -- Our adult Sunday study group will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the parish cafeteria. All sessions will last one hour.

PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING: Margaret Kennedy, Rose Sulak, Matt Machac, Danny Kaluza, Angelique Lawless, Mary Lander; Mona Zahirniak, Braden Sing, J.T. Vallon, Monica Ferguson; Brooklyn & Cooper Downing, Felix Picha, Tim Jaska, Freddie Hutyra, Cressie Girard, Alex Perez, Bill Hannes, Kelly Hooper, Lillian Hromadka, Karcyn Kauffman, Larry Holecek, Wesley Mashek, Nilce Carman, Nathaniel Torres, Wendell Harrison, Paula Ledford, Martha Sulak Gerik, Louis Mynarcik, Dawn Hand, Butch Manske, Charlotte Klaus, Linda Hill, Jeff Jares, Larry Podsednik, Jason Neill,

Dianna Schroeder, Freddie Machac, and Estelle Marek.

A.C.T.S.

In memory of **LOIS REJCEK** by Garry & Patsy Drews; Jerry & Donna Charanza. In memory of **LARRY MASHEK** by Harry & Debby Marak.

ST. MARY'S ENDOWMENT FUND....

In memory of **LOIS REJCEK** by Edmund & Dorothy Sykora.

ST. MARY'S CEMETERY FUND.....

In memory of **LOIS REJCEK** by John & Marsha Croll; Tillie Kubacak; Ed & Marie Traywick; Pat & Wilma Kallus; Evelyn Traywick; David & Vickie Webb; Frances Lednicky; Ronald Winfrey; Kenneth, Mary Ann and Mary C. Krivanek; Alois & Bernice Petter; Glenda Gerik; Al & Elizabeth Vanek; Adolph Zatopek; Robert & Nicole Lednicky; Georgie Kapczynski; Charlie & Charlotte Hajek; James & Jeanette Holecek; Anthony & Sharon Rejcek & Family; Margaret Kramolis; Lottie Knapek; Don & Helen Delvich; Raymond & Nachele Polansky; Dorothy Holacka; Stephen & Margie Nors & Family; Brenda Kocurek; Leo Rejcek Family; Larry & Sylvia Sanches; Clyde Worrell; Richard & Karen Nors; Mary Rejcek Miller; Anton & JoAnn Kaluza; Buddy & Cathy Shieldes; William & Libbie Veselka; Rae & Charlotte Lenart Carter; Joe Edd & Anne Grimm; Mike & Amy Wade; Don & Sherry Sims; and Employees of Wade Funeral Home in Hubbard & Arlington.

PRAYERFUL SYMPATHIES to Doris Hutyra on the loss on her husband; to Michael & Bill Hutyra, Dolores Scott, Ann Zahirniak and Jan Dudik on the loss of their father, Roy Hutyra.

MARIAN SHRINE LIGHT is in memory of A.J. Muska, Jr. by Carolyn Muska.

SANCTUARY LIGHT is in memory of Raymond J. Hromadka, Sr. by Family.

VOCATIONS CRUCIFIX will be in the home of Raymond & Joyce Dulock this week.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION
Offertory Collection..... \$10, 440.00
Second Collection.....\$ 2,532.21

KEEP OUR CEMETERY BEAUTIFUL!

Did you know that our church does not fund St. Mary's Cemetery? Sales from cemetery plots and monetary donations are what is used for the upkeep of the cemetery. Costs for the water and electricity, and upkeep of the grounds and roads continue to increase. A contribution envelope for the Cemetery Fund was included in your packets for the weekend of October 23rd; however, you can make a donation to the Cemetery Fund at any time throughout the year, or as a memorial. If you own a cemetery plot, or have a family member buried in the cemetery, we encourage you to make a donation and to read the enclosed "St. Mary's Cemetery Rules and Regulations".

THE ST. MARY'S SCHOOL ENDOWMENT TRUST was created to ensure quality Catholic education would remain available in West, Texas for many generations to come. Be a part of this legacy by making a charitable gift of cash, stocks, bonds, securities or real estate. Your generosity and support will be used to support St. Mary's Catholic School operations. These funds are locally controlled and managed by the trust, a non-profit, tax exempt entity. For more information, contact the School office at 254-826-5991 or pick up a donation card at the back of church.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING CORNER
Today's Psalm is "Justice shall flourish in his time, and fullness of peace forever."
How are we working towards justice and peace today?

THANKS TO YOUR SUPPORT,

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