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THE SANCTUARY LIGHT
IS OFFERED IN
LOVING MEMORY
OF
+OLIVIA EBEL

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1

5:00 PM

MISSA PRO POPULO

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:30 AM

+OLIVIA EBEL



Tuesday, December 4, at 9:30 AM

For All Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, December 4, 10:00 AM - 11 AM

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, December 5, at 9:30 AM

+ Will and Bailee Byler

Thursday, December 6, at 9:30 AM

Special Intention

Friday, December 7, at 6:00 PM IMMACULATE CONCEPTION VIGIL MASS For the conversion of sinners

Saturday, December 8, at 5:00 PM

Missa Pro Populo

Sunday, December 9, at 9:30 AM

+Robert Spearman

Sunday, December 9, at 6:30 PM

Vietnamese Mass

MINISTERS FOR DECEMBER 8 AND 9

Eucharistic Ministers:

Saturday: Cup: Henry Dao and Mary McNair

Bread: Hope Zeig

Sunday: Cup: Marie Gumienny and Pat Mackey

Altar Servers:

Saturday: Rowdy Watkins and Eli Green

Sunday: Makayla and Madison Triolo

Commentators/Lectors:

Saturday: Becca Lorenz

Sunday: Pat Mackey

Music:

Saturday: Teddy Manthei

Sunday: Molly Hedrick

YOUR GIFTS TO GOD



Church: \$

Special Collection: \$

Children: \$

"For it is in giving that we receive"

- St. Francis of Assisi

Eucharistic Adoration



**EVERY TUESDAY
10 AM – 11 AM**



**FIRST FRIDAY AT 9:00 AM
FIRST SATURDAY AT 4:30 PM
ROSARY, HOLY MASS
DEVOTION PRAYER**

**CONFESSIONS:
30 MINUTES BEFORE
EACH MASS
THE HOLY ROSARY IS
PRAYED BEFORE EACH
MASS**

**RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION**



POINSETTIAS

If you would like to donate a poinsettia for The Church's Christmas decoration, please Place your order with Sandra during office hours. Poinsettias are \$15 each. Thank you for your generosity.

**BIBLE
STUDY
will resume in January**

CTPC and CTPY on Dec. 4 & 12 @6 PM in the parish hall.



SANCTUARY LIGHT FOR 2019:

The Sanctuary light is available to purchase for the 2019 year. If you would like to sponsor a month in memory or honor of a loved one please contact Sandra in the office during open hours. All months from February through December are still available.

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES

December 4, 6 p.m., St. Mary in College Station
December 6, 7 p.m., St. Mary in Bremond,
December 14, 6 p.m., St. Teresa in Bryan
December 19, 6 p.m., St. Thomas Aquinas in CS
December 20, 6 p.m., St. Joseph in Bryan

December 5, 7 p.m., St. Mary in Caldwell
December 11, 7 p.m., St. Francis in Franklin
December 18, 7 p.m., St. Mary in Hearne
December 20, 10 a.m., St. Joseph in Bryan

ALL SERVICES AVAILABLE IN ENGLISH AND SPANISH.



Confession heals, confession justifies, confession grants pardon of sin, all hope consists in confession; in confession, there is a chance for mercy.

--St. Isidore of Seville

PARISH CHRISTMAS BRUNCH

The annual Parish Christmas Brunch is scheduled for December 9 after the 9:30 am Holy Mass. Parishioners are asked to bring a side dish, salad or dessert; the parish will provide the meat. Please join us for a good meal and fellowship.

LoSF CHRISTMAS PARTY

All ladies of our parish are invited to our Christmas party on Monday, December 10, at 5 p.m. at the parish hall. Please bring a covered dish for our holiday meal. Meat will be provided. We will be playing Bingo this year for our "friendly competition." We are asking that you donate \$10 for your Bingo card and bring a \$5 Christmas ornament to be used for Bingo prizes. Your donation will be given to Child Protective Services to help purchase Christmas gifts for children in need. Hope you will join us for an evening of fellowship and fun!

SPECIAL COLLECTION

Support the Retirement Fund for Religious. A donor writes, "Your flyer touched my heart—seeing the retired religious, such memories surfaced." Do you remember the sisters, brothers, or religious order priests who made a positive difference in your life? Today many are elderly and need assistance. Their religious communities struggle to meet retirement needs while continuing to serve the People of God. Please give to next week's second collection.

FRANKLIN FOOD PANTRY

St. Francis will be manning the Food Pantry on Saturday, December 8, from 9-12. Please drop off all donations in green basket in church narthex.

KC

KC 4th Degree Assy #2041 will meet at Outback Steakhouse on December 11th at 6:30pm. Please RSVP by Friday, Dec. 7. KC 1st-3rd Degree Council #10555 will meet December 13th in Franklin at St Francis at 7:00pm

Christmas gifts for kids in our community



Angel Tree

Help us put a smile on a child's face this Christmas. Pick up an "angel" (child) from the tree in the narthex of the Church. Please wrap your gift and tape the angel you took from the tree to it and return it by December 17th. If you would like to make a monetary donation to this ministry instead, please do so with Jan Patton. Thank you.