

March 18, 2018

Fifth Sunday in Lent

SATURDAY 6:30 P.M. +Henry & Josie Kubala; +Evelina Lenart; +Elizabeth Kolar; +Fred Matula; +Gene Schutza; +Alfons & Darrell Gerik; +Joe Mynar, Sr.; +Vitus & Rosalie Kolar; and +Evelyn Matula

SUN. 7:30 A.M. +Roy Hutyra; +Georgia Macik; +John & Wilma Kaluza; and +Edward Kaluza

SUN. 9:00 A.M. +Ernie Janek; +Jerry & Irene Gerik; +Dennis Gerik; +Tim Gerik; +Martha J. Gerik; +Marshall Matthews; +Shirley Polansky; +Jeane Cernosek; +Dennis Willenborg, BD; Special Intention for BD, AV; and For the Health of Katheen Horton

SUN. 10:30 A.M. +Martha Sinkule; +Jimmy Polansky; and +Leo Hanzlicek

SUN. Spanish Mass (Noon) Parish Family

MON. 6:30 P.M. COMMUNION SERVICE

TUES. 6:30 A.M. +Freddie Hutyra; and For the Health of Dane Eckols

WED. 6:30 P.M. For the Health of Kathleen Horton

THURS. 6:30 A.M. For the Health of Dane Eckols

FRI. 8:15 A.M SCHOOL MASS +Freddie Hutyra; and For the Health of Kathleen Horton;

FRI. 10:00 A.M. West Rest Haven +Mike Stanislav, BD; +Jimmy Polansky; and +Frank Nemecek

NEXT SAT. 6:00 P.M. Family Rosary

6:30 P.M. +Pauline Marek, Anniv.; +Evelyn Matula; and +Henry & Josie Kubala

NEXT SUN. 7:30 A.M. +Tommy Wolf; and +Bill Nors

9:00 A.M. +Nicholas Van Pelt; +Lucille Isom; +James R. Nors, Anniv.; +Jimmy & Patsy Polansky; and For the Health of Kathleen Horton

10:30 A.M +Martha Sinkule; +Rudolph Matus; +Mike Stanislav; and +Michael Maguire

Spanish (Noon) Parish Family

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

SATURDAY - March 24

Lector –Terry Isaacs

Gift Bearers – Mike Mendiola Family

Altar Servers – Johnathon Nors, Chasin Smith, Anthony Williams

Host Ministers – Deacon, Laurann Grimm, Gary Polasek

SUNDAY – March 25 - 7:30 A.M.

Lector –Chuck Felderhoff

Gift Bearers – Larry & Diana Mynarcik

Altar Servers – Andrew & Grace Watson, Connor Sullins

Host Ministers – Deacon, James Watson, Don Urbanovsky

9:00 A.M.

Lector –Jason Janek

Gift Bearers – Jerimy Williams Family

Altar Servers – Patrick, Samuel & Caroline Janek, Laynee Pickens

Host Ministers – Deacon, Chris & Heather Klish

10:30 A.M.

Lector –.Mike Lednicky

Gift Bearers – Ryan Janek Family

Altar Servers – Kaylynn Janek, Kari Jo Lednicky, MacKennon Sammon, Maverick Plsek

Host Ministers – Deacon, Robin & Carolyn Waters

CONFESSION SCHEDULE FOR THE SEASON OF LENT

Monday – 5 to 6 p.m. Wednesday – 5 to 6 p.m. Saturday – 5 to 6 p.m. (Moved from 3 p.m.)

TODAY

.....50/50 Club will meet after the 7:30 a.m. Mass for coffee and fellowship.

..... Adult Bible study group will meet at 9 a.m. in the Conference Room.

..... **Children's Breaking Open the Word** – For those who wish, their children will be dismissed from the Mass to hear and discuss the Word from a child's level and will return to the congregation at the Offertory.

WEEKLY EVENTS:

Monday – No Confessions

TUESDAY – Adoration after the 6:30 a.m. Mass. A special time to spend with our Lord.

Advisory Board meeting at 7 p.m. in St. Joseph's Hall.

WEDNESDAY - Rosaries, Adoration, Benediction, and Confession, followed by Mass.

C.C.E. Classes at 6:15 p.m. and Stations of the Cross at 7-8:30 p.m.

R.C.I.A. Class begins at 7 p.m. in St. Joseph's Hall.

School Board meeting at 7-8:30- p.m. in the School Library.

THURSDAY –Adoration after the 6:30 a.m. Mass. A special time to spend with our Lord.

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 Bible study at 6:30 a.m. in St. Joseph's Hall.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS at 2 p.m, 7:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m. (Spanish).

EASTER FLOWERS - St. Anne's Altar Society is decorating the altar with Easter lilies for

Easter. If you would like to remember your loved ones, either living or deceased, please submit their names and \$5.00 - for each name - to Jeanne Roznos (826-4221) or Lucille Lednicky (826-3198).

Deadline for submitting this information is **MARCH 23.**

NEXT WEEKEND

KJZT BAKE SALE ---KJZT, Society # 11 will have a bake sale on Saturday at the St. Mary's Parish Center. We

will be taking pre-orders - and pre-orders need to be called in by Wednesday, March 21st. Call either Mary Kallus (826-3077) or Theresa Plsek (867-1973). The KOLACHES WILL BE READY BY 11:00 a.m. on Saturday to pick up. Help will be needed in making and baking the kolaches, and we ask members, or anyone else who would like to help, to be at St. Mary's Cafeteria at 7:00 a.m. All help would be appreciated. Anyone wishing to donate other baked goods (including noodles) for this sale is asked to bring them by the St. Mary's Cafeteria that morning (March 24th) by 9:00 a.m.

Proceeds of the bake sale will be divided equally to History of West Museum and to West Senior Citizens.

.....50/50 Club will meet next Sunday after the 7:30 a.m. Mass for coffee and fellowship.

..... Adult Bible study group will meet at 9 a.m. in the Conference Room.

WAY OF THE CROSS PRAYER WALK – The Confirmation class at St. Mary's Church of the Assumption will be leading a special prayer walk, reflecting on the Stations of the Cross on Palm Sunday, March 25th, at 3 p.m. The procession will begin and end at St. Mary's Church and there will be trailers for people to ride on that are interested in attending, but cannot walk the procession. In the event of bad weather, the Stations will be moved to the inside of the church. The entire West community is invited to walk with Jesus, as we remember His Passion, Death, and Resurrection this Palm Sunday.

DEANERY PENANCE SERVICES:

Monday, March 19— St. Martin, Tours (6:00 p.m.)

Tuesday, March 20 — St. Louis, Waco (6:00 p.m.)

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday – Mass 6:30 p.m. Adoration 8 p.m. - Midnight

Good Friday – Stations at Noon Veneration of the Cross at 3 p.m.

Holy Saturday – 8:45 p.m.

PLEASE PRAY FOR US! — Prayer certificates will be in the narthex with the names of all CCE Confirmation Candidates. Please take one and pray for the Confirmation Candidate, then sign your name and date the certificate before returning it to the Parish Office by April 15th. The Candidates will receive the prayer certificate as they make their Confirmation, knowing that they have received prayers and support from fellow parishioners. If you have any questions, please feel free to visit the St. Mary's CCE office on Wednesday nights, between 6:15-7:15 or email westcce@gmail.com

PRAYERFUL SYMPATHIES TO: Donald, Bernard, and Brice Gerik on the loss of their sister; to Shirley Gann, James Zahirniak, and Jackie Sinkule on the loss of their mother, Mona Zahirniak.

CEF PERPETUAL ENROLLMENTS

In loving memory of the **MARTHA (HOLY) SINKULE FAMILY** by Catholic Daughters of America, Court Sacred Heart #829.

In loving memory of the **MARTHA (HOLY) SINKULE FAMILY** by Ellouise Anderson, Cliff & Bonnie Archer, Ernest Bezdek, Lillian Bohannan, Mary Ann Cocek, Raymond & Joyce Dulock, Lori Eisma, Chuck & Bunny Felderhoff, Dianne Friend, Martha Gerik, Rick & Elaine Goff Family, Bill & Laurann Grimm, Dorothy Hajek, Charles Holy, Gene Hosek, Harry Lee & Mary Ann Hykel, Larry & Donna Hykel, Ronald & Jeanette Janek, Theresa Jaska, Agnes M. Johnson, Mary Kallus, Bill & Jeanette Karlik, Anna Louise Kaska, Bobby & Betty Kostecka and Eric, John & Wilma Kostecka, Charles & Rose Kubacak, Margaret Kubala, Rufus & Agnes Lamere, Ervin & Geraldine Laubert, Jim & Jeanie Maguire, Milada Mazanec, Bennie & Lil Mynar, Charles & Marsha Nemec, Joyce Nors, Robert & Georgie Nors, Billy & Doris Pavelka, Alois & Bernice Petter, Evelyn Petter, Kathy Podsednik, Dan & Jeanette Pokluda, Joe & Carolyn Pustejovsky, Eugene & Jeanne Roznos, James & Marcella Sinkule, Thomas & Margaret Sinkule, William & Angie Sinkule, Steve & Frances Soukup, Tony & Wanda Stacha, Lucille Sulak, Dolores Sykora, Helen Clay Trlica, Don & Pam Urbanovsky, Lillian Urbanovsky, Al & Elizabeth Vanek, Steve & Ann Vanek and Katy Campbell, William & Libbie Veselka, Margaret Webre, Jerry & Dee Willenborg, Robert & Marcella Wolf, and Virginia Zatopek.

In loving memory of the **MONA ZAHIRNIAK FAMILY** by Catholic Daughters of America, Court Sacred Heart #829.

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William & Angie Sinkule; John & Doris Slay; Tony & Wanda Stacha; Dolores Sykora; Toby & Doris Tobola; Helen Clay Trlica; Don & Pam Urbanovsky; Lillian Urbanovsky; Al & Elizabeth Vanek; Allen & Tappy Vanek; Steve & Ann Vanek and Katy Campbell; William & Libbie Veselka; Margaret Webre; Jerry & Dee Willenborg; Floyd & Irene Wolf; Robert & Marcella Wolf; and Virginia Zatopek.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH.....

In memory of **JIMMY POLANSKY** by Ed & Bernie Klish; Dennis & Mary Jane Sustala; Annette Phipps; Karen McKenzie; Raymond & Nachele Polansky; Daniel & Jeanette Pokluda; Chesley & Juanita Poteet; Frank & Janette Cinek; John & Diana Schroeder; Robert & Carol Mynarcik; Raymond & Patricia Kolar; Mr. & Mrs. Jim Hand; Dudley & Cathy Allen; and Jerome & Lucille Lednický.

In memory of **FRANK NEMEC** by Pattillo, Brown & Hill, L.L.P.

ST. ANNE'S ALTAR SOCIETY....

In memory of **TOMMY WOLF** by Vern & Stephanie Schriener.

PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING: Janie, Heidi & Chris Sepulveda; Charles Franke; Dane Eckols; Avery Stone; Shawn L. Rejcek; Jerry Kucera, Sr., Mary Ann Marak, Albert Charanza, Sr., Richard Skopik, Donald Gerik, Sr., Sarah Dudik, Gary Williams, Ruby Hanak Douglass, Eugene Slovak, Robert Lednický; Eugene Hoelscher, Kayla Lenzer; Kathy Mitchell, Dawn Hand, Mildred Eva Vorderkunz, Sherry Farney, Lexa Wetterman, Kathleen Horton, Danny Kaluza, Angelique Lawless, Braden Sing, Clarence Legleiter, Alex Perez, Bill Hannes, Kelly Hooper, Karcyn Kauffman, Wesley Mashek, Nilce Carman, Nathaniel Torres, Wendell Harrison, Paula Ledford, Martha Sulak Gerik, Butch Manske, Linda Hill, Jason Neill, Freddie Machac, David Sinkule, Adolf Polansky, Gene Roznos and Jennifer Jares Ashley.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION \$12,054.67

VOCATIONS CRUCIFIX will be in the home of Dianne Friend.

MARIAN SHRINE LIGHT is in memory of Tommy Wolf by Joe & Carolyn Pustejovsky.

SANCTUARY LIGHT is in memory of Georgia Macik by Larry & Cathy Kaska.

KJT #31 SCHOLARSHIPS--- The KJT #31 of West, will award two \$500 Scholarships for Graduating Seniors. They must be a member of the KJT #31. Deadline is March 31, 2018. For information please call Sherry Pavlas at 254-829-0672 or 254-716-8762 and leave a message.

THE INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE ANCESTRAL PRAYER GARDEN will soon be adding more names on the tablets in the garden. If you wish to place names in memory or in honor of your loved ones, contact Mildred Dokupil at 254-826-4520 or Dan Pokluda at 254-749-8520 for information.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY – A Eucharistic Holy Hour with Benediction will be held on April 8, in our Church from 3-4 p.m.

HISTORY OF WEST MUSEUM - History of West Museum members will be hosting their Sixth Annual Fundraiser on April 15, at the West Knights of Columbus Hall. Serving begins at 11 a.m. Fried Chicken & sausage with mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, slaw and dessert for \$10. Silent Auction- Country Store and a Raffle. Free dance featuring Polka, Waltz, and Country music from 11:30 to 2 p.m.

HEALING MASS – St. Mary’s of the Assumption Catholic Church in Waco will be holding its Annual Healing Mass on Wednesday, April 4, at 11:00 a.m. There will be refreshments at the Parish Hall following the Mass. Everyone is Welcome.

MARRIED COUPLES: Spring is here! It’s the season of rebirth, new life, when nature seems to take a fresh start. Why not wake up your marriage this Spring as well? Remind your spouse that he or she is still number one in your life. Make a Marriage Encounter Weekend and re-discover the romance of your relationship. An upcoming weekend is scheduled for April 20-22 at the Wingate Hotel in Round Rock. To apply online visit: austinme.org or contact Michael and Shani Cowart: 512-677-WWME (9963) or email wwmeaustin@gmail.com. Call early to ensure a space. Para información en español llamar al 512-844-0785.

<https://amplifyatx.ilivehereigivehere.org/RiseUpWest>

THE CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA NEED YOU, YOUR TALENTS, AND YOUR IDEAS --

CDA Court #829 in West invites you to join one of the largest international organizations of Catholic Women dedicated to strengthening our spiritual lives through Christ, by serving others. If we are to be Jesus’ hands and feet, then we must use the talents He gives us, and volunteer our services when we can. Answer the Lord’s call with faith, generosity, and love by joining the CDA today. We want to encourage ladies of all ages to join and help us to be a strong link in our Church Community. We welcome your ideas on how CDA can best serve our parish. Meetings are the first Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. (food) and 7:00 p.m. (meeting) at St. Joseph’s Hall. Even if you cannot attend meetings, you can still join and take part in any of our activities that suit your schedule. Dues are only \$25 a year. God needs you, and we would love to serve with you. For membership questions, call any of the CDA officers or members. If you have an interest in joining or obtaining more information, please contact one of the CDA officers below. Evelyn Petter – 254-716-1710; epetter@gmail.com; Debby Marak – 254-749-8605; debbymarak@yahoo.com; Margaret Kennedy – 254-580-2998; hillcountymom@yahoo.com; Cyndi Lair- 254-537-2250; cyndilair@yahoo.com; Tappy Vanek – 254-722-1742; tappyvanek@yahoo.com.



**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL –
DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF AUSTIN**

It's been almost 5 years now since the earth SHOOK around our hometown of West. We have come so far in our recovery and we are very thankful to the many organizations that helped us get here. One of these great charities that assisted is the Society of St. Vincent De Paul (SVdP).

They provided West with:

- 219 Houses in a Box (that's a retail value of \$438,000 of mattresses, furniture & etc.)
- 1,600 gift cards to HEB or Wal-Mart; and
- \$115,148 in financial assistance.

And they helped our Parish start its own SVdP Conference to continue to serve those in need around West. The West Church of the Assumption Conference was created in April 2014 and has been trained & supported by the members of the Austin Council.

But now SVdP-Austin Council needs OUR help: In 2016, the Austin Council opened the new Vincentian Family Center to serve the poor in the Diocese of Austin (which includes West) and to serve as a training center for the 42 conferences in this diocese. They provide food, clothing, household items, and much more to those in need. They also provide training, training materials, and great leadership for all of the local Conferences throughout the diocese of Austin. And of course, we all know how quick they are to respond to disasters like the one we experienced 5 years ago. Floods, fires, and hurricanes have also depleted the supplies and financial strength of the Council.

So PLEASE: Rise Up West and let's SHAKE the earth from here to Austin by showing them how West supports the Vincentian Family Center and the Society of St. Vincent De Paul and all of their works of charity. Please DONATE online at this webpage. Any amount will help!