

# THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 27, 2019

## Mass Intentions

<i>Tues.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Evelyn Brzozowski
	10 A.M.	Lawrence Pekar
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Melvin Dennis, Jr.
	8:05 A.M.	Claire Hermann Garner
<i>Thurs.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Jim & Cheryl Delvige
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Sam Elizondo
	10 A.M.	Lester & Adeline Hagan, Catherine & Milton Picha
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	John & Myron Patek
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Parish Family ( <i>Pro Populo</i> )
	9 A.M.	Leslie Kaiser, Jim & Cheryl Delvige
	11 A.M.	Ernest Gomez, Jr.

## Sanctuary Candle Intention

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Claire Hermann Garner.

## Prayer List

Contact Theresa Bordovsky at 293-3124 or Ann Marie Bludau at 798-2959.

## This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; 1 Cor 12:12-30; Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

## Your Gift to God: January 20<sup>th</sup>

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$3,829
Online Giving Parish Support	\$1,250
Building Fund	\$206
Online Giving Building Fund	\$25
St. Ann Parish Support	\$510
Online Giving	\$155
Building Fund	\$120

*May God reward your generosity!*

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday: 6:30 P.M. – 7:30 P.M.

Saturday: 4:00 – 4:40 P.M.

## Special Collection

A special collection for the Church in Latin America will be taken up at all Masses this weekend.

## Liturgical Assignments

### Lectors

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Patrick Matussek
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Rose Mary Havlik
	9 A.M.	Bob Arlitt
	11 A.M.	Benita Maturino

### Offertory Gifts

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	John Patek Family
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Leslie Kaiser Family

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Donna Tolbert, Amy Hull, Theresa Belicek
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Bobby & Bea Welfl, Debra Villa
<i>Sun.</i>	11 A.M.	Graciela Rivas, Heriberto Castillo, Virginia Amaro

### Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Bobby Fikac, JoJo Machalec, John P. Barrera, Ronnie Koenning
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Paul Ebner, Bruce Chilek
	9 A.M.	Randy & Debbie Randazzo, Elorine Sitka, Lance Muenich
	11 A.M.	Raquel Gomez, Gerardo Rivas, Guillermo & Maria Vigna

### Altar Servers

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Emily Matussek, Arielle Bennetsen, Macanon Eggemeyer
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Hunter Mischer, Zachary Raz
	9 A.M.	Tyler & Addison Ferry Cameron Villa
	11 A.M.	Alex Gutierrez, Cecilia Rivas Samantha Arredondo

## Annual Contribution Statement

Those who would like a statement of their envelope support contributions should call the parish office at 293-3518.

*“The Lord sent me to bring glad tidings to the poor, and to proclaim liberty to captives.”*

## St. Joseph School Endowment Fund Stew Supper

The St. Joseph School Endowment Fund Stew Supper will be held Wednesday, **January 30<sup>th</sup>** from **5:00 – 7:00 P.M. at the Family Center.**

## February 3rd: Feast of St. Blaise

We will have Blessing of Throats next Sunday on the Feast of St. Blaise at the 7:00, 9:00 and 11:00 A.M. Masses.

## KC Super Bowl BBQ

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring their annual Super Bowl BBQ next **Sunday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Pork steaks with trimmings will be served from 10:00 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. at the Yoakum Community Center. **Plates-to-go only.** Tickets are \$10.00 and may be purchased at Crossroads Bank, Yoakum National Bank, St. Joseph Pastoral Center or from any KC member. Proceeds benefit the Knights of Columbus charities.

## Distinguished Alumni Award

The Office of Catholic Schools is accepting nominations for the 2019 Distinguished Alumni Award from each school in the diocese.

The Distinguished Alumni Award honors alumni who have transformed their Catholic school experience into distinguished careers, service and excellence in the arts, academics, ministry within the Church or service for their community and/or to the Diocese of Victoria community.

Recipients must also possess the highest standards of integrity and character which enhance the mission of the Catholic schools of the Diocese of Victoria. Honoree's citizenship and accomplishments serve as a model to inspire and challenge today's students.

**The deadline for nominations is Friday, February 8<sup>th</sup>.**

## Celebrating a Blessed Heritage

This coming week our nation celebrates Catholic Schools Week. Catholic education has had an important contribution to our nation's history...and in the story of our own local community. Since 1891 St. Joseph Parish has had the benefit of our Catholic School shaping and forming the leaders of the next generation. As we observe this national celebration, we renew our pride and strong commitment to Catholic education in our very own St. Joseph School. We give thanks for the sacrifices and blessings that so many have shared in our continued story of educators, generous, dedicated alumni and students who seek to walk in the footsteps of Christ!

## 24 Hour Eucharistic Adoration

We will have our monthly 24 hours of Eucharistic Adoration beginning this Thursday after the 6:30 A.M. Mass in the Meeting Room (door combination 2-4-3). Take some time out of your busy schedule and spend some quiet time in the presence of the Lord.

## Adoration...Devotional Hour

During the 24 hours of Eucharistic Adoration on Thursday there will be a "special" devotional hour from 3:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. This will include the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary and other prayers combined with time for private reflection.

## Adoracion del Santissimo

Este Jueves vamos a tener nuestra hora de adoracion y devocion en espanol en el Salon Parroquial desde las 8:00 P.M. a las 9:00 P.M. Todos estan invitados a compartir su fe durante esta hora de alabanza y oracion.

## First Friday Devotions

This Friday at 6:10 A.M. we will have traditional devotions in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, concluding with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.



*"Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing."*

## Altar Society Meeting

Altar Society members will meet on Wednesday, **February 6<sup>th</sup>** at 2:30 P.M. in the Family Center. Aileen Hybner will present the program. Hostesses will be Gladys Jiral, Geraldine Jahn, Juanita Rainosek, Patsy Nunez, Lorene Barton, and Laura Chumchal.

## Sacred Heart Men's ACTS Retreat March 7-10, 2019

Registration forms for the Sacred Heart Men's ACTS Retreat are available at the entrances of the church. What better way to begin the Lenten Season than by renewing yourself by attending the retreat!

## A Note from Principal Mooney Catholic Schools Week January 27 – February 2

Wednesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>  
Liturgy – 8:05 A.M. – Bishop Cahill

Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>  
Early Dismissal – 1:00 P.M.

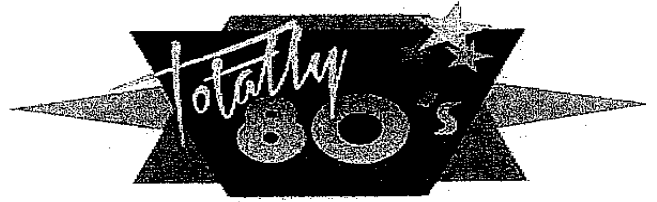
Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup>  
Basketball at Shiner Catholic School – 5:00 P.M.

## Prayer for the safety of all soldiers

Let us pray for troops, surrounding them with our spiritual help in their time of need. Below is a beautiful prayer for such an intention from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

*Almighty and eternal God, those who take refuge in you will be glad and forever will shout for joy. Protect these soldiers as they discharge their duties. Protect them with the shield of your strength and keep them safe from all evil and harm. May the power of your love enable them to return home in safety, that with all who love them, they may ever praise you for your loving care. We ask this through Christ our Lord.*

## Livin' on a Prayer



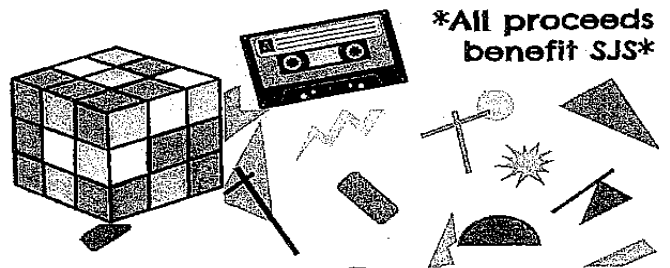
You are **TOTALLY** invited  
to the 18th Annual  
St. Joseph School PTC

# GALA

Saturday, February 16, 2019  
5:30 pm to 12 midnight  
Yoakum Community Center

**\$75 PER TICKET**  
**ONLY 300 TICKETS SOLD**  
Tickets available at the  
school and parish offices

Cocktail Hour, Dinner, Live Auction,  
Silent Auction, Texas Hold 'Em,  
Blackjack, Dancing with Los Kolaches,  
52 Card Draw & PTC Prize Patrol



**\*All proceeds  
benefit SJS\***

## Pray this night prayer of St. Bridget for peace of heart

*O Lord, make haste and illumine the night. Say to my soul that nothing happens without You permitting it, and that nothing of what You permit is without comfort. O Jesus, Son of God, You Who were silent in the presence of Your accusers, restrain my tongue until I find what I should say and how to say it. Show me the way and make me ready to follow it. It is dangerous to delay, yet perilous to go forward. Answer my petition and show me the way. As the wounded go to the doctor in search of aid, so do I come to You. O Lord, give Your peace to my heart. Amen.*

2019 St. Joseph, Yoakum  
Catholic Schools Week  
January 27– February 2, 2019  
“Catholic Schools:  
Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed.”

**Sunday, Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed: In Our Parish-**  
The St. Joseph school family celebrates a special Liturgy at 9:00 a.m. with the student body singing and the 8<sup>th</sup> grade leading in the parts of the Mass. After Mass, everyone is invited to Open House. Family, students and friends visit the Book Fair in the library and the displays of students' work and projects in the classrooms. The Catholic Daughters of America will be serving a Chicken fried steak dinner at the Family Center after Open House for all who purchase tickets.

**Monday, Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed: In our Community** – For the community of Yoakum, students organize a “Thank You for Your Service” project. Student Council and their Sponsor will distribute homemade baked goods to the Yoakum fire department, police station, City Hall, Yoakum Community Hospital, Yoakum Independent School District, and the Dewitt-Lavaca Co-op. HEB bags will be decorated and distributed to the Yoakum community to express gratitude for the different services they render. Students will begin to collect The Pennies for Patients to support the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. All penny donations will be appreciated.

**Tuesday, Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed: In Our Students** – Students are awarded for their high academic standards and achievements. The students in grades Pre-K –8<sup>th</sup> enjoy a fun day of movies, popcorn, and drinks.

**Wednesday, Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed: In Our Nation** – Students and faculty will gather at the flagpole to be led in prayer for our nation. Each class will say what they are grateful for or what they value from anything from attending St. Joseph Catholic School. The Endowment Fund Stew Supper will be held at the Family Center from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

**Thursday, Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed: In Our Vocations** – Students at SJS will have an opportunity to dress up as their future career choice or college choice. Altar servers will be treated to a special lunch. Vocation interviews will be printed in the school newsletter along with a special appreciation for all vocations.

**Friday, Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed: In Our Faculty, Staff and Volunteers** – Students will take the role of a teacher for half a day. The 8<sup>th</sup> grade families will show their appreciation by providing a luncheon to the faculty and staff for teacher appreciation along with a small gift. Early dismissal at 1:00 P.M.

