

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 5, 2019

Mass Intentions

<i>Tues.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Living & Deceased Members of the Joe Belicek Family
	10 A.M.	Ralph Manning
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Mary Polasek Ward
	8:05 A.M.	Theresa McCord
<i>Thurs.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Lee & Don Yemma
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Matthew Migl
	10 A.M.	Rhonda Huehlefeld
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	SJS First Communicants
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Parish Family <i>Pro Populo</i>
	9 A.M.	Joyce Brewer
	11 A.M.	Trinidad Montez

Sanctuary Candle Intention

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Theresa McCord.

Prayer List

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

This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Rev 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19

Your Gift to God: April 28th

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$4,037
Online Giving Parish Support	\$1,495
Building Fund	\$110
Special Collection (<i>Home Missions Appeal</i>)	\$365
St. Ann Parish Support	\$568
Online Giving	\$30
Building Fund	\$50
Special Collection (<i>Home Missions Appeal</i>)	\$50

May God reward your generosity!

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday: 6:00 – 6:30 P.M.

Saturday: 4:00 – 4:40 P.M.

Special Collection

A special collection for the Retired and Special Needs of the Priests of the Dioceses of Victoria will be taken up at all Masses the weekend of May 18-19.

Liturgical Assignments

Lectors

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	First Communicants
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Diane Havlik
	9 A.M.	Susan Kelley
	11 A.M.	Benita Maturino

Offertory Gifts

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	First Communicants
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Brewer Family

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Mike & Jana Guajardo, Patrick Matusek
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Patty Mabry, Anita Schulte Georgia Kutach
<i>Sun.</i>	11 A.M.	Virginia Amaro, Graciela Rivas, Annie Rodriguez

Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Bobby Fikac, Rocki Grubert, Rhonda Hansel, Andy Bordovsky
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Dennis & Rose Mary Havlik
	9 A.M.	Randy & Debbie Randazzo, Alan Migl, Blaise Dreitner
	11 A.M.	Gabriel Espinosa, Miguel Trujillo, Arturo & Maria Gutierrez

Altar Servers

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Hannah & Ella Boswell, Jordyn Driskell
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Luke & Samantha Adamek
	9 A.M.	Grace & Aaron Migl, Jordyn Driskell
	11 A.M.	Gabriel & Jorge Chavez, Joel Gomez

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next class of Baptismal Preparation will be Saturday, May 11th at 9:00 A.M. in the Family Center Meeting Room. **This will be the last class offered until September.**

*“Christ is risen, creator of all;
he has shown pity on all people.”*

Please Note: Time Change – Wednesday Confessions

Beginning this **Wednesday, May 8th**, the time for Wednesday evening confessions during the summer months will change to 6:00 – 6:30 P.M. The time for confessions on Saturday's remains the same: 4:00 P.M. to 4:40 P.M.

CDA Meeting

The Catholic Daughters will meet **Monday, May 6th** at 6:00 P.M. at the Family Center. A short program will be presented by Sloane Dolezal from Hospice of South Texas. Hostesses are: Gladys Jiral, Doris Kaiser, Carol Kengle, Jeanette Kloesel and Pauline Kloesel. Make plans to attend!

K. C. Meeting

The Knights of Columbus will hold their monthly meeting on **Wednesday, May 8th** at the KC building. Officers meet at 6:30 P.M. followed by the regular meeting at 7:30 P.M.

KJT #13 Mother's Day Bake Sale

KJT Society #13 will sponsor the Mother's Day Bake Sale next Saturday, May 11th at Dollar General beginning at 8:00 A.M. Members are asked to bring baked goods at this time. Proceeds will benefit Priests/Religious Retirement Fund and Seminarian Education Fund. Monetary donations may be mailed to KJT #13 c/o Robert Hybner, 3259 State Hwy. 111 East, Yoakum, Texas 77995.

All donations are greatly appreciated!!

KC Mother's Day BBQ Dinner

The Yoakum Knights of Columbus are sponsoring their annual Mother's Day Chicken BBQ dinner next Sunday, May 12th from 10:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. at the Yoakum Community Center. Tickets are \$9.00 and may be purchased at Crossroads Bank, Yoakum National Bank and the Parish Office. Proceeds go to KC Charities.

*"I will praise you, Lord,
for you have rescued me."*

Welcome, Bishop Cahill!

This Saturday evening the parish family welcomes our shepherd, Bishop Cahill, who joins us to confer the gift of the Holy Spirit on our Confirmation Class. As this new generation of fully initiated in the Catholic Faith receive this great grace, we are grateful to our Bishop for his visit and encouragement in the faith!

Congratulations!

The parish family offers congratulations and prayers for our Confirmation Class. Many thanks to their teacher, Ashley Hermes Rodriguez and her helpers Tracey Gearson, Amy Malik and Evie Cherry. As you receive the last Sacrament of Initiation, may your lives be continually strengthened in your Catholic faith!

Confirmation Class: Alann Alvarado, Alexa Arredondo, Hunter Aschen, Ashley Camarillo, Adrian Carasco, Sabrina Castro, Nattalie Ceja, Kayla Cervantes, Rileigh Chumchal, Eleanor Coleman, Dante De Los Santos, Jack Gonzalez, Makalen Grant, Christian Guerrero, Chase Heller, Sofia Hurtado, Ibianca Jimenez, Kevin Koliba, Kyle Koliba, Kenzi Lange, Claudia Maravilla, Estrella Martinez, Kenny Morales, Brittany Moreno, Julianna Nava, April Novosad, Bryan Oliva, Kolton Pekar, Keri Prasek, Adriana Resendiz, Masann Rice, Matthew Rodriguez, Diana Rosas, Abby San Martin de Leon, Amairany Tolentino, Cameron Villa, Austin Vinklarek, Clayton Zabransky, Del Moore.

Congratulations!

The parish family extends heartfelt congratulations to our Faith Formation First Communion students. May this first reception of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament draw each of them into a closer relationship and desire for the Bread of Life!

First Communion Class: Edgar Jimenez Alvarez, Beatrice Barrientos, Ana Bosques, Colton Chumchal, Kylee DeBord, Evelyn Escalante, Caden Falcon, Francisco Garcia, Evelyn Izaguirre, Ricardo Lopez, Alexa Martinez, Brandon Medina, Estefani Medina Zavala, Jacob Migl, Javier Nieves, Jonathan Noblett, Jordan Oliva, Destiny Perez, Victor Quilpas, Abril Reyes, GlorIALIZED Rivas, Jeanette Rivas, Ethan Rocha, Aaliyah Rosales, Hadleigh Siegel, Emiliano Torres, Wyatt Wiederhold, Julian Espinoza, Vence Martinez, Adrian Vigna, Charlyse Rios, Adrian Rodriguez, Evie Flores, Jaxson Morris.

Appreciation and Gratitude

The entire parish family owes a deep debt of gratitude to those who face of their time and talent in sharing the treasure of our Catholic faith in our Faith Formation program this past year: Kindergarten – Maria Quilpas & Benita Maturino; First Grade – Tomas Rojas, Charlotte Noblett & Maria Chapa; Second Grade – Susie Barrera, Raquel Gomez & Sheila Harrison; Third Grade – Vanessa Falcon & Sylvia Nunez-Valdez; Fourth Grade – Diana Darilek, Linda Hagan, Esmeralda Rojas & Cutter Braun; Fifth Grade – Suzanne Martinez, Paul Frerich & Shelby Stary; Sixth Grade – Mary Alice & Jimmy Wagner & Dana Janssen; Seventh Grade – Anita Pesek & Erin Menke; Eighth Grade – Robert Kacir & Jennifer Jahn; Ninth Grade – Sharon Janca & Shawna Knocke; Tenth Grade – Judi Kubena, Jessica Williams & Anthony Harper; Eleventh Grade – Ashely Rodriguez, Tracey Gearson, Amy Malik & Evie Cherry; Hall Monitor – Gavina Jimenez; Office Staff – Joyce Klesel, Vicki Vasquez, Jana Guajardo, CCD Coordinator.

Mass Honoring Seniors

Our annual Mass to honor graduating Seniors will be held at the **9:00 A.M. Mass on Sunday, May 19th**. A breakfast for the Seniors and their parents will follow in the Family Center. Attending Seniors are asked to wear their cap and gown. If you plan to attend call the parish office, 293-3518 by 5:00 P.M. Wednesday, May 15th.

Picnic Raffle Donations

Anyone interested in donating toward the 2019 Parish Picnic Raffle is asked to contact Charlie Fikac at 772-5859 or the parish office at 293-3518. Our raffle has been a great success – and that is due in great part to our numerous, very generous, donors. If you have donated in the past and would like to do so this year, please give Charlie or the parish office a call. **Deadline for donations is May 15th**. This way we can get moving with having tickets printed and start selling! Thanks!

2nd Annual Roast & Toast

Honoree: Bishop Brendan Cahill

Friday, May 10th

The Cathedral Center

Doors open at 6:00 P.M.

Proceeds benefit the ongoing ministry of the Emmaus Center.

For Tickets Please Call: 361-212-0830

*Join us for an evening of
fun and laughs!*

Dinner provided by Back Door Catering

Ven y Sígueme:

Primer curso al discipulado

Estan invitados a venir al segundo curso de Ven y Sígueme.

Vengan y aprenden más sobre su fe Católica.

- ❖ Sesión 4: Sacramentos, Liturgia y Devociones – 11 de mayo
- ❖ Sesión 5: Desarrollo de Liderazgo - 8 de junio

Para más información:

Diocese of Victoria/Sister Rosario:

361-573-0828 ext. 2216

Heriberto Castillo: 361-208-5014

Teen ACTS Retreat

July 18th – 21st

Applications for the Teen ACTS Retreat being held July 18th – 21st are available at the entrances of the church. Retreat eligibility is limited to high school students who are at least 14 years old AND have completed their freshman year up to high school seniors graduating this May.

“Follow me.”

*“To the one who sits on the throne
and to the Lamb
be blessing and honor,
glory and might, forever and ever.”*

A Note from Principal Mooney

Wednesday, May 8th
Liturgy – 8:05 A.M.

Thursday, May 9th
PreK trip to TXDOT – 9:00 A.M.

Saturday, May 11th
First Communion – 5:00 P.M. Mass

Tuesday, May 14th
1st – 3rd Grades A/R trip to Palmetto State Park
4th – 8th Grades A/R trip to Splashway

Wednesday, May 15th
Liturgy – 8:05 A.M.

Thursday, May 16th
Last day of school for 8th Grade

Friday, May 17th
8th Grade Trip

Saturday, May 18th
8th Grade Graduation – 5:00 P.M. Mass

Part-time Cafeteria Position

St. Joseph School has a part-time cafeteria worker position available with a start date in August. Anyone interested may apply at the school office during school hours.

Dates to Remember

Wednesday, May 8th
Confessions 6:00 – 6:30 P.M.

Saturday, May 11th
Baptismal Preparation Class – 9:00 A.M.
Family Center Meeting Room
SJS First Communion – 5:00 P.M. Mass

Sunday, May 12th
KC's Mother's Day BBQ

Saturday, May 18th
SJS 8th Grade Graduation – 5:00 P.M. Mass

Sunday, May 19th
Mass for Graduating Seniors – 9:00 A.M. Mass
Breakfast to follow at the Family Center

Friday, May 24th
Kindergarten Graduation & Report Cards
8:30 A.M. Mass

Diocese of Victoria 13th Annual Vocation Camp

QUO VADIS?

*Discerning your call from God is not easy.
It takes time. Time in prayer, in discussion
with others and in spiritual reflection.*

Sunday, June 30th thru July 3rd, 2019
Camp Kubena
Near La Grange, Texas
Cost is \$75.00

Sponsored by the Office of Vocations,
Diocese of Victoria.

Rev. Tommy Chen, Director

Rev. Kristopher Fuchs, Assoc. Director

Registration forms are available at the entrances of the church or at the parish office. Registration fee of \$25 and form must be submitted by June 21st.

Quo Vadis? Is open for those young men who are “going into the 9th grade next school year through 21 years of age.”

Questions? Call Fr. Tommy at (361) 552-6140 or email him at olg@olgf.org

Feast Day of St. Isidore – May 15th Patron Saint of Farmers

Novena to St. Isidore begins Tuesday, May 7

O dear St. Isidore, as a farmer you so patiently worked the land that it might give fruit. And by your example we have learned to share our food with the hungry and to work for the salvation of mankind. We who share your zeal for a fruitful land are encouraged by the compassion you showed to all who needed your help. We are convinced of your gracious intercession and with confidence implore you to obtain for us favorable weather.

O St. Isidore, you whose heart reflects the giving nature of our gracious God, whisper our prayer into the merciful ears of the Infant Jesus. Accept our humble appeal, as we pray for a successful growing season. Grant us favorable weather to produce an abundant harvest. We ask this in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
AMEN