

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 28, 2019

Mass Intentions

<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Genevieve Balzer
	10 A.M.	Diana Howell
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Living & Deceased Members of the Luke & Adella Janak Family
<i>Thurs.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Alphonse Tesar
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Nick & Elsie Welfl
	10 A.M.	Lester & Adeline Hagan, Catherine & Milton Picha
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Parish Family <i>Pro Populo</i>
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Weyman Adamek
	9 A.M.	Bennie Stary
	11 A.M.	Concepcion Garza

Sanctuary Candle Intention

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of deceased alumni of St. Joseph School.

Prayer List

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

This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Gen 18:20-32; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13

Your Gift to God: July 21st

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$3,588
Online Giving	\$1,275
Building Fund	\$130
Online Giving Building Fund	\$25
St. Ann Parish Support	\$621
Online Giving	\$180

May God reward your generosity!

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday: 6:00 P.M. – 6:30 P.M.

Saturday: 4:00 – 4:40 P.M.

Reminder

Every Wednesday we have available the Sacrament of Reconciliation from 6-6:30 P.M. Take advantage of this added opportunity to celebrate the Lord's abundant mercy!

Liturgical Assignments

Lectors

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Patrick Matussek
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Rose Mary Havlik
	9 A.M.	Susan Kelley
	11 A.M.	Susana Trujillo

Offertory Gifts

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	SJS Class of 1969
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Mary Stary Family

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy

Communion

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Bobby & Gladys Jiral
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Robert & Jerrie Kacir, Sherri Spaeth
	11 A.M.	Heriberto Castillo, Graciela Rivas, Pam Garza

Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Bill Lopez, Andy Bordovsky, Bobby Fikac, JoJo Machalec
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Charles & Diane Havlik
	9 A.M.	Randy & Debbie Randazzo, Elorine Sitka, Blaise Dreitner
	11 A.M.	Arturo & Maria Gutierrez, Gerardo Rival, Miguel Trujillo

Altar Servers

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Emily Matussek, Sophie Jahn, Chase Heller
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Hunter Mischer, Faith Wenske
	9 A.M.	Brittany & Trevor Moreno, Gage Harrison
	11 A.M.	Erick & Gael Castillo, Christian Rivas

Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, August 15th is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be celebrated as follows:

Wednesday, August 14th – 6:30 P.M. (Vigil Mass)
Thursday, August 15th – 6:30 & 8:05 A.M.

Picnic Raffle Tickets

DO NOT drop any raffle tickets in next weekend's collection. All raffle tickets should be dropped off at the parish office by noon on Friday or taken to the Community Center next Sunday.

Picnic Work Schedule

Please check the bulletin for the Picnic Work Schedule. **If you are not able to work as scheduled, please secure a replacement or call the Pastoral Center, 293-3518.**

General Church Cleaning

Volunteers are needed this **Thursday, August 1st at 6:00 P.M.** to help spruce up the church in preparation of our Parish's 150th Anniversary Celebration next weekend. The more volunteers the sooner we get through. Cleaning supplies will be provided. ***Great way for Confirmation students to get in some needed service hours.***

\$10,000 Grand Prize!!!

See those raffle tickets...there are \$20,500 in prizes available and the First Prize is a whopping \$10,000!!! What a generous raffle provided for by our parish family. It's a great way to generate great success! Tickets are found in the Church entrances as well as at the Pastoral Center.

Picnic Meal Tickets

Meal tickets for this year's picnic may be purchased at First State Bank, Yoakum National Bank or at the Pastoral Center. Cost is \$10.00.

Get in the Spirit!

We have some beautiful navy blue Picnic t-shirts with the image of the church and the parish 150th date. Variety of sizes available--\$10 each. Come by the Pastoral Center. Will be available at picnic at the Community Center also.

Gratitude

Many thanks to those who helped with the preparations and meal for the annual observance of the Feast of St. Ann. Special recognition is owed to St. Ann KJZT #37 for their organizing work and kindness to the parish family.

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.

Picnic Updates

COUNTRY STORE items must be dropped off at the Community Center **by noon on Saturday, August 3rd or no later than 10:00 A.M. on Sunday, August 4th.** Homemade items – pickles, jelly, cookies, canned goods, etc. – **must have all ingredients listed.** Help is also needed to price these items on Saturday. No experience necessary.

PANTRY WHEEL items should be dropped off at the Community Center on **Saturday, August 3rd.**

AUCTION ITEMS should be dropped off at the Community Center **by 2:00 P.M. on Saturday, August 3rd or after 8:00 A.M. on Sunday, August 4th.**

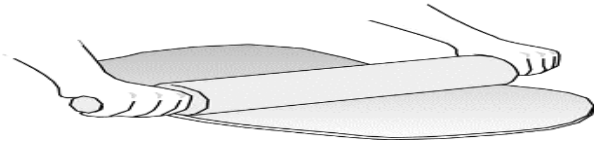
1 Week to the Picnic

Potato Scrubbers/Cutters Needed

Volunteers are needed next **Saturday, August 3rd at 8:00 A.M.** at the Yoakum Community Center kitchen to help wash, scrub and cut potatoes for the picnic. You are asked to **bring cutting boards and knives.** All help is appreciated!

Apprentice Dough Rollers Needed

The Dough Rollers are looking for newcomers to join their team on **Saturday, August 3rd at 8 A.M.** at the Family Center. If interested in lending a hand, please contact Tonya Wenzel at 293-7217 or the parish office at 293-3518.



Picnic Donors List

Copies of the Picnic Donors List are available at the parish office for anyone who may not have gotten a bulletin last week.

ATTENTION:

2019-2020 Confirmation Students

The church picnic needs your help! **Get ahead on required service hours** for the upcoming Confirmation school year. Contact the parish office, 203-3518, to sign up.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Can you spare one hour of your time to help the parish? The Parish Picnic is in need of volunteers in various areas and we are only asking for an hour of your time. The more volunteers the shorter the shift. Please contact the parish office if you are willing to spare 60 minutes of your time on August 3rd or 4th. Your contribution will make a difference towards the success of the picnic. Thank you!

On your Mark, Ready, Set...Roll!!!

More than TEN years ago the St. Joe Dough Rollers "got with the program" and started a tradition for the parish that has reaped great rewards! And as we have seen, more than NINE times out of ten they bring about real success. For EIGHT weeks now there has been a series of announcements and reminders in the bulletin--SEVEN or so attempted to be pithy, but SIX actually got the point across better. The parish office will be open for only FIVE more days (Only FOUR are all day since Friday the closing time is noon) till Picnic arrives. With full trust that where two or THREE or gathered there is a guarantee of blessed accompaniment, our hopes for this year are high! As one would expect, our St. Joe Dough Rollers are ready to roll...they simply want to give everyone another chance (or TWO) to jump on the wagon as it's pulled out of the stall. The Pyramid of Cream Cheese and Poppyseed Rolls is our number ONE Auction Item--and a major producer of Picnic Profit and Success!



Don't be LATE...
Don't HESITATE...
Donate to the
Dough Rollers
TODAY!

Celebrating 150 Years!

Deadline Extended

All parishioners are invited to attend the reception/meal which is being held in conjunction with the St. Joseph School Alumni Reunion on Saturday, August 3rd immediately following the 5:00 P.M. Mass at the Family Center.

Cost is \$15 per person.

Deadline for reservations extended to July 30th.

Stop by or contact the Pastoral Center to make your reservation.

Join us in our 150th Anniversary Celebration!!!

Be persistent in prayer

Calling All Married Couples!

Are you longing to spend quality time with your spouse and better understand God's plan for your marriage and your family? If so, please join us for the annual Hallettsville Deanery marriage retreat, which will be held August 9-11 at Disciple Oaks in Gonzales. Registration forms are located at the entrances of the church. Please contact Alan and Christie Migl at 361-293-8376 for more information.

ACTS Community Annual Family Picnic

Sunday, August 11th

Splashway Waterpark – Sheridan, Texas
Mass - 10:00 A.M.

Followed by lunch and fellowship
(Lunch furnished by ACTS Core)

Individual & family swim time – 12 – 6 pm

Tickets - \$27.99 each
Age 2 & under are free

Please RSVP by July 30th

Karin Filipp: 361-772-7233

Kim Ulcak: 361-293-1190

Courtney Perez: 361-772-5881

CCD Registration

For those who want to get ahead and cross an item off of the annual "to do" list...you can find the registration forms available for download in the parish website (or by stopping by the Pastoral Center during office hours). There will be a designated evening in August for registration—this is just information for the "early birds" amongst us.

St. Joseph Parish
1869-2019

Sesquicentennial
Celebration
August 3rd & 4th

Safe Environment Training

A Safe Environment Training class will be held **Wednesday, August 21st at 6:30 P.M.** at the Family Center Meeting Room. This class is mandatory for individuals who are interested in assisting or participating in any school function, field trip, CCD aide. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, etc. Anyone interested in becoming Safe Environment compliant **must complete the online application (www.victoriadiocese.org) prior to attending the class.**

Important Dates to Remember

Saturday, August 3rd

St. Joseph Parish 150th Anniversary Celebration &
St. Joseph School Alumni Reunion
Mass celebrated by Bishop Cahill – 5:00 P.M.
Followed by reception & meal at the Family Center

Sunday, August 4th

St. Joseph Parish Picnic
Yoakum Community Center

Wednesday, August 7th

SJS Tigerama Parent Registration – 4:30-7:00 P.M.
School Library

Monday, August 12th

First Day of School for St. Joseph School Students

August 15th – Feast of the Assumption

Mass Schedule:

Wednesday, August 14 – 6:30 P.M. (Vigil Mass)

Wednesday, August 15 – 6:30 A.M., 8:05 A.M.

Wednesday, August 21st

CCD Registration – 5:00-7:00 P.M. – Family Center

Safe Environment Training – 6:30 P.M.

Family Center Meeting Room



SJS School Year Begins

The 2019-2020 St. Joseph School year will begin on Monday, August 12th.

SJS Mission Statement

To teach the children of God to walk in the footsteps of Christ. We stress the total development of the child: Spiritual, Moral, Intellectual, Social, Emotional and Physical.

A Note from Principal Mooney

If interested in sending your child(ren) to St. Joseph School, please stop by the school office and speak to Mr. Mooney. Take a tour of the school and learn more about what St. Joseph School has to offer.



ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL

PROVIDING CATHOLIC EDUCATION SINCE 1891

Why St. Joseph School?

We love how it's "family" oriented and the children get to learn about Jesus along the way!! We asked Faith, our daughter, why she loved St. Joe and she said "I just feel good there!" That makes our hearts happy to know she feels comfortable there!!

-Chris and Alisha Boysen

Please visit our website for more information.

SJS Philosophy

St. Joseph School is dedicated to the spiritual, moral, intellectual, social, emotional and physical growth of each student. Students are challenged to develop their greatest potential in order to fulfill their roles as responsible individuals in today's changing society. St. Joseph School embraces the call to be a community characterized by individuals who help each other in developing a positive self-esteem, recognizing their God-given talents and appreciating the gift of a Catholic education.

"You have received a Spirit of adoption, through which we cry, Abba, Father."



SJS TIGERAMA



All students and parents are invited to attend the "Tigerama" Orientation and Fall Registration on **Wednesday, August 7th from 4:30-7:00 P.M.** in the St. Joseph School. There will not be a registration time scheduled during the day at school. All payments of tuition, lunch, milk tickets and Bibles along with Safe Environment Continuing Education will be taken care of that evening. Pre-ordered school supplies will also be available for pick up. There will be complimentary snacks and drinks for everyone to enjoy along with booths for PTC, Spirit Shirt new designs, Pre-K and Athletics. For more information or to set up an appointment to discuss educational possibilities at St. Joseph Catholic School, please call 293-9000.



**DEAR GOD,
I WANNA TAKE A
MINUTE, NOT TO ASK
FOR ANYTHING FROM
YOU, BUT SIMPLY TO
SAY THANK YOU,
FOR ALL I HAVE.**



**"Lord,
teach us to
pray..."**