

**CONFESSIONS**

Confessions will be available again on Thursdays, from 7:00 PM—8:00 PM in Holy Trinity Catholic Parish.



**SUMMER FESTIVAL** – Friday, June 10 & Saturday, June 11, 2016

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** – Monday, July 11 thru Thursday, July 14, 2016

**WORLD YOUTH DAY** – Saturday, July 30, 2016 for young adults ages 18-30 at McNeese Convention Center, San Angelo

**FESTIVAL PRIZES**

**Raffle drawing is Saturday, June 11, 2016**

The church has purchased these prizes, please consider donating towards the cost of the prizes for our summer festival:

1. Flat Screen TV - \$500.00
2. \$500 Walmart gift card
3. Yeti Ice Cooler - \$400.00
4. \$400 Walmart gift card
5. "X" box - \$400.00
6. \$300 Academy gift card-**donated**
7. \$300 Walmart gift card
8. Bar-B-Que Grill - \$300.00
9. 4 Yeti 30 oz. Tumblers - \$180.00-**donated**
10. Keurig Coffee Maker - \$100.00

**Ticket books will be available for pick up after all Masses.**

**GRADUATION MASS**

The Graduation Mass will be **Saturday, May 21, 2016 at 5:00 PM**. The Mass is for any area high school graduates or higher education graduates.

A dinner will be held after the Mass in Our Lady of Guadalupe Center to celebrate a great accomplishment. If you know of a Graduate that would like to participate, please call the office, 432-714-4930.

**PARISH COUNCIL NOMINATIONS**

Holy Trinity is accepting nominations for Pastoral Council. Deadline is Monday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 12:00 PM. If interested in becoming a part of our Pastoral Council please speak with Msgr. Gully or Richard Light – 432-466-9703 or call the office 432-714-4930.

**26 DAYS TILL  
FESTIVAL TIME**

**Friday, June 10<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 AM till 7:00 PM and Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 AM** till all gone the Festival will be selling FOOD! ASADO PLATES! CARNE GUISADA PLATES! And GORDITA PLATES!

**Call 432-517-4491 for call in orders.**

On **Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup>, the FUN begins at 6:00 PM** with GAMES! The Basketball, Football, and Baseball Throw! Duck Pond, Fish Pond, and Hole in One golf! Bingo! And many more games! **Raffle drawing will be Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup>.** Join us for good food and fun games and live MUSIC!

**PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES MAY 9, 2016**

1. Council comments include: were all positive. Report of \$7,796.65 has been donated with pink envelopes and fundraisers to pay for the **New Carpet Project**.
2. Guidelines were shared by Bobby Porras on the proper requirements needed to sell food.
3. Pizza Inn fundraisers are on hold until after the June 10, 2016 Church Festival.
4. Ending amount for Our Lady of Guadalupe Family Center building campaign is \$1,067,877.30. This is 89% of total cost of \$1,200,000.00. Monsignor Gully and council pleased with this amount. Thanks to everyone who contributed!
5. Graduation Mass is Saturday, May 21, 2016 at 5:00 pm Mass.
6. Sunday, May 29, 2016 beginning 11:00AM Mass, followed with reception at 12:30 pm: 54/80–Monsignor Gully's 54 years serving as a priest, and 80<sup>th</sup> birthday. Please make plans to attend.
7. Summer Festival is scheduled Friday, June 10, 2016 (take-out meals only) and Saturday, June 11, 2016.
8. Pastoral Council nominations open until May 23, 2016.
9. Pastoral Council elections will be at Saturday/Sunday Masses on June 4/5, 2016.
10. Vacation Bible School VBS is July 11-14, 2016. Call Janie Porras if you would like to help.
11. Men's Spanish Cursillo at Holy Trinity July 28-31, 2016
12. CCE classes finished this week. Thanks to everyone who worked together to make this a fantastic year.
13. New business: formation of a Bereavement support group, approval of 2016-2017 budget, a possible banquet for all servers, ministers, volunteers sponsored by Knights of Columbus, study Pope Francis's books -Laudato Si, and Joy of Love.

**Pro-life Hotline... 1-800-395-HELP**



**May 15** "We are told that we should not tell a woman when to have a child. Abortion is not about children who might come into the world, but it is about children who are already in the world, living and growing~ in the mother's womb. When a woman is pregnant she already has the child. The only thing to be decided is whether she will have a live or a dead baby."

**PRAYER MEETING – Spanish** – Todos los miércoles, 7:30 PM después de la Misa, en la capilla.

**PRAYER MEETING – English** – All are welcome on Wednesdays at 7 PM in East Room to join us for praise, teaching, and prayer for healing.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Fridays starting after the 7:00 AM Mass till Noon in the side Chapel.

**Pro-Life Rosary** from 12 to 12:15 PM

**Benediction** - after the Rosary.

**LADIES BIBLE STUDY**

Ladies Bible Study is on Tuesdays from 11:45 AM – 1:15 PM in the East Room. All ladies are welcome to join.

**Catholic Inquiry Class**

Do you know someone who is always asking you Why Do Catholics Genuflect, Worship Idols, And Mary?? Have a friend or loved one who is thinking about joining the Catholic Church, or are you a baptized Catholic adult in need of Reconciliation (Confession), First Communion, and Confirmation?

**Check bulletin for starting date in the fall.**

**SEMINARIAN OF THE MONTH  
JOSH GRAY**



Joosh is 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Theology at Mundelein Seminary. His birthday is March 3, 1991 and is from Early, TX. His favorite food is Steak. Kevin enjoys running and reading.

**Please Pray for Our Seminarians!**

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP**

Holy Trinity will be starting a Bereavement Support Group for parishioners that have experienced a loss of a spouse, parent, sibling or any relative or friend. If you are interested in helping or participating in this group, please call the office and leave a message for Msgr. Gully. Please look in bulletin for further information.

**SEARCH FOR CHRISTIAN MATURITY**

The Search for Christian Maturity, a weekend Catholic program for high school and college-age people of our Diocese. Jesus' answer too many of our problems are presented. It promises to be a worthwhile weekend. If you are interested in attending, contact Merlinda Morón or the church office, 714-4930.

**MARRIAGE**

Please call the office, 714-4930, at least six months prior to planning wedding.

**SICK VISITATION**

Please call the office, 714-4930, to give us the names of the people who would like to receive Holy Communion or have a visit from the priest.

**QUINCEAÑERA**

Two years of religious education is required by the diocese. Please call the office, 714-4930, for more information.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR BAPTIZING:**

To baptize infants we require Parents to provide the child's court issued Birth Certificate. Parents must be registered in the Church. Godparents must provide a copy of their Baptismal, First Communion, and Confirmation Certificates. Married Godparents will also need to provide their certificate of marriage in the Catholic Church. For more information, please call the Parish Office, 714-4930.

Bautismo de niños/as los papás necesitan presentar el certificado de nacimiento de la corte del niño(a). Los padres deben estar registrados en la iglesia. Los padrinos necesitan presentar sus certificados de Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación. Los padrinos casados deben de presentar su certificado de matrimonio en la iglesia católica. Para más información por favor llame a la oficina parroquial, 714-4930.

**HALL RENTAL**

The new policy on the hall rental was approved on January 26, 2015 by the parish council and Msgr. Gully.

The **deposit of \$50 is required** at the time of reservation.

The **insurance fee** has to be sent to San Angelo Diocese **30 days before the event.**

**Classroom Rental:**

Deposit \$50- Rental \$50- Insurance \$120

**School Hall Rental:**

Deposit \$50- Rental \$150- Insurance \$120

**OLG Family Center Rental:**

Deposit \$50- Rental \$300- Insurance \$120

## SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE

05/08/16

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	194	141
8:30 AM	200	120
11:00 AM	456	188
<b>Total</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>449</b>

**St. Vincent de Paul**  
**270-5029**

## BLESSED BE GOD

We never forget the central theme: Behind it all, in it all, and through it all is the God who is love. Our response within all the everyday responses of daily life is, "Blessed be God because he is good."

- from Live Like Francis

## SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

**Second Collection next weekend Saturday, May 21<sup>st</sup> and Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> – St. Vincent de Paul** – The funds help the needy people of Howard County and surrounding areas. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



## St. Vincent de Paul

The vocation of the Society's members, who are called Vincentians, is to follow Christ through service to those in need and so bear witness to His compassionate and liberating love. Members show their commitment through person-to-person contact. Vincentians serve in hope. No work of charity is foreign to the Society. It includes any form of help that alleviates suffering or deprivation and **promotes human dignity and personal integrity in all their dimensions.**

The Society works not only with individuals in need but also with families and communities. It helps an excluded or deprived local community to develop a sense of responsibility and solidarity which leads it to improve its economic, social or environmental well-being, always retaining the personal contact of members with those in need.



## Sunday Collection 05/08/2016

Envelope \$6,774.00  
Loose \$1,948.00  
Total \$8,722.00

Average Collections per week needed: \$9,335.00

Catholic Communications \$1,381.25

**NEW CARPET PROJECT**  
As of April 30, 2016  
**\$7,798.00**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

"Give, and there will be gifts for you: a full measure, pressed down, shaken together, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap; because the standard you use will be the standard used for you."

## CURSILLO CORNER

### SPANISH CURSILLO

**Men's** – Thursday, July 28-Sunday, July 31 – Holy Trinity, Big Spring

### ENGLISH CURSILLO

**Women's** – Thursday, June 23-Sunday June 26 – St. Mary's, Odessa

**Men's** – Thursday, July 21-Sunday, July 24 – St. Mary's, Odessa

For more information or questions please call the office, 432-714-4930.

## SCHEDULE OF ENGLISH ULTREYAS

**Tuesday, May 17, 2016 @ 7:00 PM** in East Room

**Tuesday, June 7, 2016 @ 7:00 PM** in East Room

**Tuesday, June 21, 2016 @ 7:00 PM** in East Room

All are invited to come and enjoy the fellowship.

### SPANISH ULTREYA

Todos los lunes, 7:00 PM en el salón de Holy Trinity Parish Hall.

Todos están invitados a venir y disfrutar de la beca.



## PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED AND THE FAMILIES OF THE DECEASED:

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family of the late **Margie Baeza** who died this past week. We commend their souls and the intentions of the family to our continuing prayers.

## PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Julia Lopez, Virginia Dueñez, Johnny Trevino Sr., Rocky Torres, Jesse Valverde, Alberto Morales, Sandra Garcia, Irene Dominguez, Maria E. Ponce, Isidoro Galan Sr., Josie Chavez, Sabrina Ogburn. Call the office at 714-4930 to add the names in the bulletin. **Only the person needing or immediate family member may request to be added to the prayer list.**



"Peace be with you.  
As the Father has sent me,  
so I send you."

John 20:21

**Readings for the Week of  
May 15, 2016**

**Sunday Pentecost Sunday**  
Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24,  
29-30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-  
13 or Rom 8:8-17; Jn 20:19-23 or  
Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

**Monday** Jas 3:13-18; Ps 19:8,  
9, 10, 15; Mk 9:14-29

**Tuesday** Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-  
8, 9-10a, 10b-11a, 23; Mk 9:30-37

**Wednesday Saint John I,  
Pope and Martyr** Jas 4:13-17; Ps  
49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11; Mk 9:38-40

**Thursday** Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-  
15ab, 15cd-16, 17-18, 19-20; Mk  
9:41-50

**Friday Saint Bernardine of  
Siena, Priest** Jas 5:9-12; Ps  
103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12; Mk 10:1-  
12

**Saturday Saint Christopher  
Magallanes, Priest, and  
Companions, Martyrs** Jas 5:13-  
20; Ps 141:1-2, 3, and 8; Mk  
10:13-16

**Sunday The Most Holy  
Trinity** Prv 8:22-31; Ps 8:4-5, 6-7,  
8-9; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15



**SANCTUARY CANDLE**  
**[HT] May 15 – Elaine Martinez**



**SATURDAY, May 14, 2016**

- 5:00 PM – [HT] For the Health of Rodriguez Family by *Rodriguez Family*; +Eloisa Martinez by *Paula G. Martinez & Family*; San Judas Tadeo Apostol by *Jose Enrique Gonzalez*; +Jose Jesus Lopez by *Julia Lopez*; +Garcia Family Members by *Consuelo Morales*; +Domingo Rocha by *Sylvia S. Rocha*; +Sabas Torres by *Frances Torres*; +Amparo Franco by *Concha DeLeon*

**SUNDAY, May 15, 2016**

- 8:30 AM – [HT] For the People; +Valentin Corralez by *Margie Corralez*
- 11:00 AM – [HT] +Crecencio & +Lupe Padilla by *Albert & Leticia Torres*; Special Intention by *Wanda Anderson*; +Marie Lopez B'day by *Lucy F. Chavarria*; +Frankie Fierro by *Anna Gomez*; +Gregoria Gonzales by *Jose Angel Jr., Jovita & Linda Gonzales*; +Olga Chavez by *Flores Family*; +Margarita Gonzalez by *Paula G. Martinez & Family*; +Ramon Gonzales by *Christopher Gonzales*; +Aida D. Sanchez by *Diane Ewing*

**MONDAY, May 16, 2016**

- 7:00 AM [HT] St. Gerard by *Consuelo Morales*

**TUESDAY, May 17, 2016**

- 7:00 AM [HT] Our Lady of Good Success (T.G.) by *Consuelo Morales*

**WEDNESDAY, May 18, 2016**

- 7:00 PM [HT] +Robert Anderson by *Wanda Anderson*

**THURSDAY, May 19, 2016**

- 7:00 AM [HT] NO MASS
- 10:00 AM [State] OPEN

**FRIDAY, May 20, 2016**

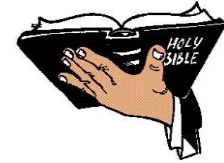
- 7:00 AM – [HT] +Inez Molina & +Fred Molina by *Consuelo Morales*

**SATURDAY, May 21, 2016**

- 5:00 PM – [HT] +Susana Rojo by *Margie Valverde*; +Susana Rojo by *Mary Lou & Tony Saldana*; +Juan, +Maria, +Tony Rodriguez by *Rodriguez Family*; +Luven Flores Sr. by *Flores Family*; San Judas Tadeo Apostol by *Jose Enrique Gonzalez*; +Jose Jesus Lopez by *Janie Yanez & Family*; +Domingo Rocha by *M/M Jimmy Marin*; Miranda Rodriguez by *Family*; +Sabas & +Alex Torres by *Frances Torres*

**SUNDAY, May 22, 2016**

- 8:30 AM – [HT] +Francisca & +Estanislao Diaz by *Mary Vera*
- 11:00 AM – [HT] For the People; Elaine Martinez B'day by *Salazar Family*; Jesus Ortiz B'day by *Dianna Valdez*; San Judas Tadeo Apostol by *Jose Enrique Gonzalez*; +Raul Rios-Rios by *Petra Rios-Rios*; +Concepcion (Chona) Juarez by *Margarita Corralez*; +Hijinio Moreno Sr. by *Isabel Moreno*; +Moses Flores Jr. by *Leal Family*; +Aida D. Sanchez by *Diane Ewing*; +Tokie Holguin by *Elvira Marin*



**Sunday's Reflections**  
*Romans 8:8-17*

**SHARING THE SPIRIT**

The Holy Spirit gives us every good gift. The Spirit gives us faith. The Spirit enriches our lives with the grace of God. The Spirit lies beneath the charisms we have—the particular gifts that build up the Body of Christ, however we choose to serve.

Perhaps the Spirit's greatest gift is preparing us for eternal life with Christ. Paul writes to the Romans, "If the Spirit of the one who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, the one who raised Christ from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also, through his Spirit that dwells in you." The same Spirit who gave life to Christ will also give life to us. The Father, whose Spirit dwelled in Jesus, sends the same Spirit into the hearts of those who believe.

This Pentecost recalls the sending of the Holy Spirit upon the apostles long ago, but it also celebrates the coming of the Spirit into the church today. That Spirit enriches each of us in many ways—through our faith, our charisms, and the promise of eternal life.

This Pentecost, let us open our hearts to that Spirit. Let us accept the work of the Spirit in others and release it within ourselves. Let us live in the Spirit that we might die in the Spirit. On that great day we will be joint heirs with Christ as we sing praise to the Father, in the Spirit forever.

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