



Sunday, July 23rd at 12:30 PM we will be having a luncheon to wish Fr. Sam good luck on his new journey!

Join us in the Family Center!

ADVANCED FORMATION SESSIONS

Advanced Formation Sessions will begin Year Two in the fall of 2017. They are scheduled at San Miguel Arcangel Parish in Midland. Advanced Formation is a good follow-up for those who have completed BASIC FORMATION. However, adults who have not attended any previous sessions are welcome to attend. These sessions offer opportunities for adult formation.

Registration is required so that sufficient materials will be prepared for all in attendance. A registration form is available at the church office. If you have any questions, call 325-651-7500.

WELCOME NEWCOMER'S

If you are new to our church, please register by obtaining a form from one of our Greeters and returning it to the office at 1009 Hearn.

PARISHIONERS UPDATE CENSUS FORM

Parishioners, if you have had a change of address or phone number please call the office at 714-4930 and update the census form.

ARE YOU RECEIVING THE WEST TEXAS ANGELUS?

Are you registered in the church and not receiving the West Texas Angelus? Please call the office at 714-4930 so this can be corrected.

ETHICS CLASS

For all those interested in volunteering with the children programs such as VBS, Children's Liturgy or CCE, the Ethics class is required. The class will be **Thursday**, **July 20**, **2017 at 6:30 PM in the St. Juan Diego room**.

This class is also required if you are interested in working with the Homebound or St. Vincent de Paul.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Monday, July 24th thru Thursday, July 27th from 5:30 PM to 8:30 PM, there is still time to register. Register online by going to the church website or by calling 714-4930 to sign up. Imagine a world where curious kids become hands-on inventors and who discover they're lovingly crafted by God. Join us for Maker Fun Factory Vacation Bible School! Register your kids today!

DIOCESAN IMMIGRATION SERVICES AVAILABLE

The San Angelo Diocese Immigration Services in our three deaneries have been open for a few years. The services include processing documents for such things as Naturalization and Citizenship Applications, Alien Relative Petitions, Adjustment of Status Immigrations Benefit Applications, Temporary Protective Status, Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival (Dream Act), Waiver of Disability, and Work Permits. If you or someone you know needs legal assistance with immigration, please contact the following: Midland/Odessa deanery call the Catholic Charities in Odessa (432) 332-1387.

THE WALL WITHIN OUR OWN HEARTS

Always, it seems, there is the "enemy" beyond the walls, which may be of our own making, who wants to sneak in and take over our city, appropriating as his or her own the property and goods and people within. And those of us within know and fear this threat to our lives and, in turn, wall ourselves in for protection, even though the "enemy" may already be inside our walls, may in fact reside within our own walled-in hearts.

-from the book Enter Assisi: An Invitation to Franciscan Spirituality

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

July 16 "The challenge is to make the Church's 'ves' to Life concrete and effective. The struggle will be long, and it needs each one of you. Place your intelligence, vour talents. your enthusiasm, your compassion your and fortitude at the service of life!"

For those who build a culture of life in our society: That their efforts yield a fruitful harvest; We pray to the Lord:

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.

PRAYER MEETING – ENGLISH

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

MARRIAGE

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

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Ladies Bible Study meets every Tuesday at 12:00 PM in the East Room. Please join for great studies and fellowship.

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?

Summer session for August: Class will be on Monday, August 14, 2017 at 6:30 PM in the East Room.

SEMINARIAN OF THE MONTH

DCN. FREDDY PEREZ



Dcn. Freddy is 4th Year Theology at Assumption Seminary. His birthday is March 30, 1986 and is from San Angelo, TX. Dcn. Freddy likes home cooked food. Dcn. Freddy likes learning random facts!

Please Pray for Our Seminarians!

Lord Jesus, Good Shepherd,
May young people in our parish
Hear your call and follow your voice
As they discern their vocations.
Lead your people to heaven
Through the ministry of holy priests
And consecrated men and women.
Jesus, we trust in you! Amen.

SICK VISITATION

If Catholics cannot come to church, then the church comes to them (priest/communion). 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.

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 necesitan estar registrados en la iglesia. Los padrinos necesitan presentar sus certificados de Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación. Los padrinos casados necesitan 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.

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

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

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

SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE 07/09/17 Mass Attendance Communion 5:00 PM 201 116 8:30 AM 145 94 11:00 AM 289 154 635 Total 364 St. Vincent de Paul 270-5029

PRIESTS' SCHEDULE

Msgr. Bernard Gully:

Tuesday, July 11, 2017 – 5:00 PM thru Wednesday, July 12, 2017 – 12:00 PM – Priest Fraternity, St. Ann's, Midland

Fr. Sam Matthiesen:

Friday, July 22, 2017 - Day of Rest

Luke



Sunday Collection 07/09/2017

Envelope \$7,427.75 a grate Loose \$1,745.40 lifestyle.

Total \$9,173.15

St. Vincent \$3.236.96

RUDY HADDAD MD

"Take care to guard

against all greed, for though one may be rich.

one's life does not consist

12:15

Jesus showed us that our true

value lies in the way we live

our lives. He challenges us to

not store up or hoard material

possessions, but rather to live

of possessions."

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK in East Room.



SCHEDULE OF ENGLISH ULTREYAS

All are invited to come and enjoy the fellowship.

a grateful and generous **Tuesday, July 24, 2017** in lifestyle. East Room.

Tuesday, August 8, 2017 in East Room.

Tuesday, August 22, 2017 in Fast Room

SPANISH ULTREYA

Todos los lunes, 7:00 PM en el salón de St. Frances. Todos están invitados a venir y disfrutar de la beca.

NEW CARPET PROJECT

As of June 30, 2017 **\$61,364.00**

Goal: \$75,000

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

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

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

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Raul Rubio, Michael Hernandez, Linda Hall, Amy Castillo, Ruben Gonzales, Cindy Lopez, Carol Becker, Gilbert Rubio Sr., Diego Rodriguez, Viola Barraza, Angie Hernandez. 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.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

Saturday, July 15th and Sunday, July 16th – SAN PEDRO SULA DIOCESE, HONDURAS - A special collection for the benefit of the Honduran dioceses of Le Ceiba and San Pedro Sula will be taken up at parishes in the Diocese of San Angelo July 15 and 16.

This year the partnership (Hermanamiento) among the dioceses of Tyler, La Ceiba, San Pedro Sula, and San Angelo celebrates its 15th anniversary. The collection to assist our fellow Catholics in the Honduran dioceses and parishes goes back even further, when it began as a means of providing relief from Mitch. Hurricane collection is used now by partner parishes and dioceses to promote evangelization, provide basic education and extend assistance to disadvantaged of the community.

The collection is divided between the two Honduran dioceses. In situations in which parishes from the Diocese of San Angelo are partnered with parishes in Honduras, what is collected benefits the partner parish directly.

Thank you in advance for your generosity! May God reward you!



"The seed sown among thorns is the one who hears the word, but then worldly anxiety and the lure of riches choke the word and it bears no fruit."

— Matthew 13:22

Readings for the Week of July 16, 2017

Sunday Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14; Rom 8:18-23; Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

Monday Ex 1:8-14, 22; Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8; Mt 10:34—11:1

Tuesday Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest Ex 2:1-15a; Ps
69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 11:2024

Wednesday Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7; Mt 11:25-27

Thursday Saint Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr Ex 3:13-20; Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27: Mt 11:28-30

Friday Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church Ex 11:10—12:14; Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc, 17-18; Mt 12:1-8

Saturday Saint Mary Magdalene Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Sunday Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30

SANCTUARY CANDLE

[HT] July 16 - Jesse & Maria Salazar



SATURDAY, July 15, 2017

5:00 PM Mass – [HT] Tony Arispe - Health by Maria Florez; For All The Sick by Maria Florez; St. Jude by Patsy Sanchez; +Gilbert Narbaiz by Saragosa Ochoa; Cruz Barrera & Family by Gary & Violanda Harris; +Elias Chavez by Concha DeLeon; +Katy & +Esequiel Hernandez by Nora Hernandez; St. Anthony-Thanksgiving by Dora Escañuela; +Ygnacio, +Maria & +Andy Escañuela by Jr. & Dora Escañuela; +Pilar, +Petra & +Goya Escañuela by Jr. & Dora Escañuela

SUNDAY, July 16, 2017

- 8:30 AM Mass [HT] FOR THE PEOPLE; San Judas Tadeo Apostol by Jose Enrique Gonzalez
- 11:00 AM Mass [HT] +Aida D. Sanchez & +Gilbert Duron by Diane Ewing; +Mike & +Ronnie Chavez by Essie & Lupe Ortiz; +Victoria Escovedo by Mary Ann Escovedo; Samuel Arsiaga by Petra Rios-Rios; All the Holy Angels by Rita Franco; Deceased Family of +Raul & +Maria Robles by Jimmy & Nellie Robles; Virgen de Guadalupe by Val Garcia Jr.; All Veterans by T.J. Stewart; +Jose Rivera by Rivera Family

MONDAY, July 17, 2017

7:00 AM Mass [HT] +Margarita Alvarez by Alvarez
Family

TUESDAY, July 18, 2017

 7:00 AM Mass [HT] +Robert Anderson by Wanda Anderson

WEDNESDAY, July 19, 2017

 7:00 PM Mass [HT] St. Josemaria Escriva-Thanksgiving by Jean Govea

THURSDAY, July 20, 2017

- 10:00 AM [STATE] Mary Keifer-Lymph Nodes by Wanda Anderson
- 12:15 PM Mass [HT] St. Anthony-Thanksgiving by Jean Govea

FRIDAY, July 21, 2017

 7:00 AM Mass – [HT] +Juan & +Rosa Muńoz by Erlinda Rios

SATURDAY, July 22, 2017

5:00 PM Mass - [HT] +Elice Flores by Luven Flores & FAmily; +Melinda Garcia by Mina & Augie Garcia; +Josphine DeLeon by DeLeon & Munoz Families; +Ray & +Petra Leos by T.J. Stewart; Virgen de San Juan by Patsy Sanchez; Gary T. Harris & Violanda & Sons by Gary & Violanda Harris; Infant Jesus of Prague by Librada Lopez; +Phillip Mendoza by Concha DeLeon; +Hijinio Moreno Sr. by Isabel Moreno

SUNDAY, July 23, 2017

- 8:30 AM Mass [HT] +Jesus Molina by Molina Family
- 11:00 AM Mass [HT] FOR THE PEOPLE; +Aida D. Sanchez & +Gilbert Duron by Diane Ewing; +Roberto Alvarez by Alvarez Family; Sam Krause B'day by Carol & Larry Becker; +Rafael & +Martin Cantu by Essie & Lupe Ortiz; All the Holy Angels by Rita Franco; St. Gregory by Jimmy & Nellie Robles; +Katy Hernandez by Val Garcia Jr.; +Bernabe, +Pascuala & +Petra Ruiz by Jr. & Dora Escañuela; +Robert Ramirez by Frances & Kevin Ramirez Family; +Henry Valverde by Saldana Family



Sunday's Reflections Romans 8:18-23

SUFFERING NOTHING

The older we get, the more we groan. Muscles ache. Memory fades. Taste buds fail. Hearing diminishes. Eyesight darkens. Stature bends. Our physical health decays, and suffering intensifies. Growing old, as they say, is not for wimps.

For many people, aging might be cause for despair. But for Christians, it is just another aspect of the imperfections of life. We have grown accustomed to the disappointments of this life. They are nothing compared with the promise of salvation. We put up with the inconveniences we experience because we believe in the joy that lies ahead.

St. Paul writes to the Romans, "I consider that the sufferings of this present time are as nothing compared with the glory to be revealed for us."

Paul believed in God's promise, that there was more ahead for him after he died. He believed that promise extended to all the faithful, and indeed to all creation. Creation itself has been groaning, awaiting a more perfect life. Perfection comes to all the world through Christ.

We may be growing older, but we are always children—God's children. We may be heading towards death, but we are really heading towards birth—birth to a new kind of life. The sufferings of today are as nothing. We are groaning in expectation of a joy that is to come.

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