

BAPTISM RETREAT

Saturday, January 27, 2018 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM, we will be having a Baptism Retreat. If you have a child from 0 to 7 years old and has not been baptized, please call the office to register for the retreat.

Also, if you are being asked to be a sponsor of baptism this retreat is needed. Call the office and register.

**Pilgrimage
Virgen de San Juan Basilica
San Juan, Texas**



Sponsored by the Guadalupana Sociedad from San Angelo
April 28-30, 2018

Pilgrimage will include visiting the surrounding area churches. A special presentation by Author/Priest Jorge Gomez, Rector of the Basilica on his book the *Virgen de Guadalupe*.

Please call Lupe 325-262-0001; Alma 325-212-1288; Martha 325-655-4427 or Manuel 325-651-5874.

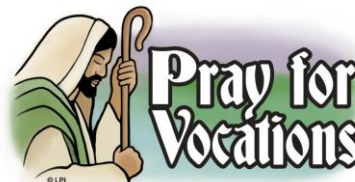
AARP/IRS INCOME TAX PREPARATION

Income tax preparation assistance for low income families.

Monday thru Friday starting on Monday, February 5, 2018 from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM at the Dora Roberts Community Center.

This service is FREE for those needing assistance with their income tax returns.

PROJECT ANDREW



We are having an event called Project Andrew, a discernment event for men, to be held Thursday, February 8, 2018 at 6:00 PM at St. Stephen's Parish in Midland. Bishop Michael Sis will be hosting the event. The schedule includes dinner, prayer, presentations on priesthood and an opportunity for the participants to meet priests of our diocese and find out more about the ministerial priesthood.

The inspiration for Project Andrew comes from the account in the Gospel of John where Andrew invites his brother Simon to come and meet the Lord Jesus.

The target age group includes men ages 15 to 45. Please call the office, 714-4930, to register for the event by Thursday, February 1, 2018.

VALENTINE'S POTLUCK

"Let us always meet each other with smile, for the smile is the beginning of Love" Mother Teresa

You're invited to a Valentines Potluck & Family Bingo

Hosted by:

HTCP Moms Group

Date and Time:

February 11, 2018 12:30 pm

Location:

Our Lady of Guadalupe Family Center

RSVP: Jennifer @ 270-7080 or Ida @ 915-613-9357

WEST TEXAS CATHOLIC MEN

FUNDRAISER FOR 2018 CONFERENCE

Canvas Portrait of Our Lady of Guadalupe 3'x5'

\$5.00 a ticket, drawing to be held on May 13, 2018

Need not be present to win.

Catholic Men will be here to sell tickets after Masses this weekend and again on the weekend of March 3 & 4, 2018.

Please support the Catholic Men.

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



January 28 If a friend confided in you tomorrow that she had an abortion, would you be able to respond in a way that brings her closer to healing? Learn what to do and say in "How to Talk to a Friend Who's Had an Abortion": www.bit.ly/friend-had-abortion.

For those who feel alone in their grief following an abortion: May they deeply experience the Lord's mercy and healing, 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.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Ladies Bible Study will be meeting on Mondays. Please join us at 12:00 PM 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? New comers welcome.

Class on Monday, January 29, 2018 at 6:30 PM in the Family Center.

SEMINARIAN OF THE MONTH



FRANCISCO CAMACHO

Francisco is 1st year Philosophy at Conception Seminary. He is from Midland, Texas and his birthday is April 29, 1999. Francisco's favorite food is Pizza and he likes playing the saxophone.

PRAY FOR FRANCISCO!

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.

Formed.org

Have you logged on to the see all the available videos, books and studies that can be done on this site? Go to formed.org, register under the parish, enter the Parish Code **NJK8TT** and enjoy! This is a free subscription. If you experience any problems, please call the office and we can assist.

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.

MARRIAGE

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

REQUIREMENTS FOR BAPTIZING:

To baptize a child 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.

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

01/21/18

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	180	116
8:30 AM	180	120
11:00 AM	376	187
Total	736	423

St. Vincent de Paul
270-5029

ST. ANGELA MERICI

Lord, may Saint Angela commend us to Your mercy; may her charity and wisdom help us to be faithful to Your teaching and to follow it in our lives. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Patron of the sick, disabled and physically challenged people and those grieving the of parents.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND, SATURDAY, JANUARY 27th AND SUNDAY, JANUARY 28th

Catholic Schools Annual Collection - The Catholic Schools of the Diocese of San Angelo continue to provide a fervent commitment to educational excellence and Catholic formation grounded in faith and service.

The Diocese of San Angelo has three Catholic schools serving the youth of the diocese: Angelo Catholic School in San Angelo, St. Ann's School in Midland, and St. Mary's Central Catholic School of Odessa.

Faithfully United as the
Trinity

Unidos Fielmente como la
Trinidad



Sunday Collection
01/21/2018

Envelope	\$5,112.00
Loose	\$1,901.99
Total	\$7,013.99

"Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions." Luke 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 a grateful and generous lifestyle.

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

RUDY HADDAD MD
UROLOGY



SCHEDULE OF ENGLISH ULTREYAS

All are invited to come and enjoy the fellowship.

Tuesday, February 6, 2018 at 7:00 PM- in the St. Francis Room

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SPANISH ULTREYA

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

THE GIFT OF WOMAN

When God sees woman, what he sees is not simply spirit, but her physical body, itself a reflection of him. In the physical existence of woman, God's longing for a relationship with the created world and his desire for the good of humanity are met, and he is able to rest. Woman becomes gift not just to the world, but also to God himself, who finds his last longing fulfilled and rests in his satisfaction.

—from the book *When We Were Eve: Uncovering the Woman God Created You to Be* by Colleen C. Mitchell

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

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

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Debra Torres, Maria Dominguez, Ronnie Ruiz, T.J. Stewart, Crissy Hinojos, Destiny Garcia, Jimmy DeLeon Jr., Nora Landin, Guadalupe Ornelas, Jeff Moery, Jesse Loya Jr., Melissa Gonzales. 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.**



“What is this? A new teaching with authority.”

— Mark 1:27

**Readings for the Week of
January 28, 2018**

Sunday Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Dt 18:15-20; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mk 1:21-28

Monday 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mk 5:21-43

Wednesday Saint John Bosco, Priest 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7; Mk 6:1-6

Thursday 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd; Mk 6:7-13

Friday The Presentation of the Lord Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 or Lk 2:22-32

Saturday Saint Blaise, Bishop and Martyr; Saint Ansgar, Bishop 1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14; Mk 6:30-34

Sunday Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

SANCTUARY CANDLE

[HT] January 28 – **Manuela Morón**



SATURDAY, January 27, 2018

5:00 PM Mass – [HT] +Maria & +Pedro Rodriguez by *Janie Rodriguez*; +Pilar Roman by *Mary Ann Paredez & Family*; **All Souls in Purgatory** by *Gary & Violanda Harris*; +Horace Yanez by *Salazar & Yanez Family*; **Mother Angelica**; +James Villa; **Gabriel Amenta B'day** by *Jimmy & Nellie Robles*; +Reynaldo Hernandez Sr., +Sylvia & +Gilbert Hinojos by *Elida Hinojos*; +Josie DeLeon by *Rudy DeLeon & Family*

SUNDAY, January 28, 2018

- 8:30 AM Mass – [HT] FOR THE PEOPLE; +Juan Rodriguez Jr. by *Ramona & Isabel*
- 11:00 AM Mass – [HT] +Theresa Lewis by *Louise & Stephen Montgomery*; **Joshua Reyes B'day** by *Joe Viera Jr.*; +Luis Rios Sr. by *Erlinda Rios*; +Adolph Garcia by *Maria Garcia*; +Gilberto; +Jesusita & +Alfred Hinojos by *Consuelo Zuniga*; +Hijinio Moreno Sr. by *Isabel Moreno*; **Healing of Kurt Miranda-St. Raphael** by *Parents*; **Holy Souls** by *G.M.L.*

MONDAY, January 29, 2018

- 7:00 AM [HT] NO MASS

TUESDAY, January 30, 2018

- 12:15 PM Mass [HT] +Theresa Lewis by *Wanda Anderson*

WEDNESDAY, January 31, 2018

- 7:00 PM Mass [HT] +Fr. Robert Vreteau, O.M.I. by *Isabel Escovedo*

THURSDAY, February 1, 2018

- 7:00 AM [HT] NO MASS
- 10:00 AM Mass [STATE] **Gabi Mendoza B'day** by *Salazar Family*

FRIDAY, February 2, 2018

- 7:00 AM Mass [HT] **Stella M & Maria S. B'days** by *Salazar Family*

SATURDAY, February 3, 2018

5:00 PM Mass – [HT] +Reyes Delira-Padilla by *Saldaña Family*; +Hijinio Roman by *Mary Ann Paredez & Family*; +Luis Sr. & +Patrick Rios by *Gary & Violanda Harris*; +Josie DeLeon by *Rudy DeLeon & Family*; **Lee, Donna & Stephanie Reyna** by *Demetria Reyna*; **In Thanksgiving** by *Demetria Reyna*; **St. Raphael-Special Intention** by *G.M.L.*; +Lucy Ochoa by *Patsy Sanchez*; +Becky Torres by *Cruz Salazar*

SUNDAY, February 4, 2018

- 8:30 AM Mass – [HT] +Juan Rodriguez Jr. by *Ramona & Ricardo Rodriguez*
- 11:00 AM Mass – [HT] FOR THE PEOPLE; +Theresa Lewis by *Louise & Stephen Montgomery*; +Luis Rios Sr. by *Erlinda Rios*; +Adolph Cantu Sr. by *Mr. & Mrs. Cantu*; +Theresa Brito by *Brito Family*; **Our Lady of Fatima**+Katy Hernandez by *Brian Ybarra*; +Ezequiel & +Katy Hernandez by *Nora H. & Katherine G.*; +Johnny, +Lydia & +Paul Flores by *Johnny & Mike Flores*; +Henry Valverde by *Margie Valverde*; +Sevi Rocha by *Margie Valverde*



Sunday's Reflections

1 Corinthians 7:32-35

SINGLES CLUB

Being single usually means being available. In our culture, singles are those who are not yet hooked up—as if the partnering is inevitable. Family and friends often put pressure on singles to find someone and get married.

But some people choose to be single. They are concentrating on another vocation, for example, and cannot give marriage and family life the attention it deserves. A dedicated student will devote free time to study. Some people developing a talent in sports or the arts remain single because of the demands of their craft. And some religious figures are single in order to devote their whole lives to God.

In the New Testament tradition, several prominent figures were single, including Jesus, John the Baptist, the apostle John, and the apostle Paul. Paul explains the virtues of being single in a letter to the Corinthians. “An unmarried man is anxious about the things of the Lord, how he may please the Lord. But a married man is anxious about the things of the world, how he may please his wife, and he is divided.”

Paul oversimplifies the case; many married people devote themselves to the things of the Lord, and many singles are trying to please a friend. But his point is that unmarried people have a unique opportunity to devote their attention to God.

Being single need not mean being available. It can also mean being taken—by study, art, sport or faith.

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