

August 22, 2018

Dear Father Serafin,
Thank you very much for a wonderful celebration of faith in your Mass of Installation as pastor of Holy Trinity Parish on August 18, 2018. It was a very joyful community event. The music, the meal, and the receptivity of the parishioners were all very uplifting. Your words as the new pastor after Communion in the Mass were the best I have ever heard in a Mass of Installation.

May God continue to bless and guide your ministry as you seek to lead your community according to the example of Christ, the Good Shepherd.

**In the joy of Christ's service,
Most Rev. Michael J. Sis
Bishop of San Angelo**

GUADALUPANA SOCIETY

Mass will be at 8:30 AM on September 2, 2018, all Guadalupanas are welcome to join us at Mass. The meeting and rosary will be Sunday, September 2nd at 5:30 PM in the East Room.

Misa será el 2 de septiembre a las 8:30 AM, todas las Quadalupanas
La próxima reunión será el domingo, 2 de septiembre a las 5:30 PM en el East Room.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be Thursday, September 6th at 7:00 PM in the St. Vincent de Paul Building.
All Knights are welcome to join us.

OUR LADY OF SORROW MASS AND MEAL

We will be having a Mass for all the Homebound on Saturday, September 15th, starting with confessions at 10:00 am, Mass at 11:00 am and then a meal in the family center.
If you have a family member or know of someone that would like to join us, please let us know.
Call the office so we can have a count of how many are coming. If anyone is in need of transportation call so it can be arranged, 432-714-4930



CHURCH OFFICE

The office will be closed Monday, September 3rd in observance of the Labor Day Holiday.
The office will open on Tuesday, September 4th at 8:00 AM.

THURSDAY MASS TIME CHANGE

The Mass on Thursdays will be changing from 7:00 AM to 12:15 PM. Please be aware of the time change, Mass on Thursdays is at 12:15 PM.

Confession



Confessions are available on Tuesdays after the 12:15 pm Mass and on Fridays at 1:00 PM after Adoration. Saturday confessions remain at 3:30 PM.



If you have ever thought of becoming an Extraordinary Minister, a Lector, or a Greeter call the office, 432-714-4930 and let us know. Come and see what you can help with!
Contact the following: Extraordinary Ministry-Elfi Tucker 432-816-6247; Essie Ortiz 432-816-2718; Lectors-Dianna Valdez 432-816-2845; Greeters-Maria Rosario 432-816-6474

CCE REGISTRATION

Wednesday, September 5, 2018 we will be having registration for K thru 12th grade in the Family Center at 6:30 PM.
Come meet all the Catechist for our 2018-2019 year.

Join us for hotdogs and chips.

Mark your calendars to come register your child for CCE.

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

September 2 "We share Pope Francis' 'conviction that everything possible must be done to rid the Church of the scourge of the sexual abuse of minors and to open pathways of reconciliation and healing for those who were abused' Learn more at www.usccb.org/support-her." For all who hold public office: May profound reverence for the dignity of every person be deeply rooted in their hearts, we pray to the Lord.

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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

Pro-Life Rosary from 12:00 PM to 12:15 PM

Benediction - after the rosary.

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.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Join us at 12:00 PM on Wednesday August 29th in the East Room for our Ladies Bible Study.

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.

All interested in ACI, next class is Monday, September 10th at 6:30 PM in the family center. This is for new comers and those already in the program. Forms are at the entrance of the church to register for class. If you have questions please call the office, 432-714-4930.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING

All are welcome on **Wednesdays at 6:30 PM** in East Room to join us for praise, teaching, and prayer for healing. Potluck on every 1st Wednesday of the month.

SEMINARIAN OF THE MONTH



HUMBERTO DIAZ

Humberto is in 2nd year Philosophy at Conception Seminary. His birthday is October 14, 1996 and is from Abilene, Tx. Humberto's favorite food is Chinese and likes to play tennis, dance and paddle boarding.

**PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS!
PRAY FOR HUMBERTO!**

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.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Anointing of the Sick is available by calling the office, 432-714-4930. If you have anyone needing the anointing call the office. Please do not wait till the last minute to call.

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

08/26/18

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	195	110
8:30 AM	206	143
11:00 AM	363	173
Total	764	426

St. Vincent de Paul
270-5029

SECOND COLLECTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

Saturday, September 8 & Sunday, September 9, 2018 – College and University Campus Ministry

Saturday, September 15 & Sunday, September 16, 2018 – St. Vincent de Paul

“And suddenly you know... It’s time to start something new and trust the magic of beginnings.”

CCE CLASSES

Sunday, September 9, 2018 – 1st day of classes at 9:30 AM – 10:45 AM for Kindergarten thru 5th grade.

Wednesday, September 12, 2018 – 1st day of classes at 6:30 PM thru 8:00 PM for 6th grade thru 12th grade.

Faithfully United as the Trinity

Unidos Fielmente como la Trinidad



Sunday Collection
08/26/2018

Envelope	\$6,066.50
Loose	<u>\$2,364.50</u>
Total	\$8,431.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!



JULY 2018

Monthly Income for July
\$36,630.71

Monthly Expenses for July
\$41,707.03

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

FAYE'S FLOWERS



SCHEDULE OF ENGLISH ULTREYAS

All are invited to come and enjoy the fellowship.

Tuesday, September 4, 2018 at 7:00 PM- in the East Room

Tuesday, September 18, 2018 at 7:00 PM- in the East Room

Tuesday, October 2, 2018 at 7:00 PM- in the East 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.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN INITIATION 'CCI'

Sessions are starting for the new year in the School Hall:

Wednesday, September 12, 2018 @ 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

BECOME 'A LITTLE CHRIST'

The Peace Prayer challenges peacemakers to offer the shade of self-confidence and the refreshment of persistent, God-centered faith to those who walk in the desert of doubts occasioned by their upbringing or the Dark Night. In so doing, they fulfill their vocations as “little Christs” who call the world to faith.

—from Instruments of Christ: Reflections on the Peace Prayer of Saint Francis of Assisi

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

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

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Jennifer Eggleton, Maurilio Sotelo, Ida Sanchez, Andrew, Aguirre, Albert Robles, Ronnie Ruiz, Isidora & Frank Morphis, Alvina Gonzalez. 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.**



“This people honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me; in vain do they worship me, teaching as doctrines human precepts.”

- Mark 7: 6-7

**Readings for the Week of
September 2, 2018**

Sunday Twenty First
Sunday in Ordinary Time Jos
 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Ps 34 2-3,
 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23; Eph
 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32; Jn 6:60-69
Monday Saint Monica 2
 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12; Ps 96:1-2a,
 2b-3, 4-5; Mt 23:13-22
Tuesday Saint Augustine,
Bishop and Doctor of the
Church 2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17; Ps
 96:10, 11-12, 13; Mt 23:23-26
Wednesday The Passion of
Saint John the Baptist 2 Thes
 3:6-10, 16-18; Ps 128:1-2, 4-5;
 Mk 6:17-29
Thursday 1 Cor 1:1-9; Ps
 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 24:42-51
Friday 1 Cor 1:17-25; Ps
 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11; Mt 25:1-13
Saturday 1 Cor 1:26-31; Ps
 33:12-13, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 25:14-
 30
Sunday Twenty Second Sunday
in Ordinary Time Dt 4:1-2, 6-8;
 Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5; Jas 1:17-18,
 21b-22, 27; Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-
 23

SANCTUARY CANDLE

**[HT] September 2 – Light of
Jesus-Lasara Ontiveros**

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, September 1, 2018
 5:00 PM Mass – [HT] Tony Saldaña-B'day by
 Sylvia S. Rocha; +Fermin Sr. & +Fermin Jr. Florez
 by Florez Family; +Ricardo, +Petra & +Ismael
 Chavez by Elida Rodriguez; +Eddie Sr. & +Lori
 DeLeon by Concha DeLeon; Peace, Comfort,
 Strength, Faith & Healing by Librada M. Lopez;
 +Leo Salazar by Alice Salazar; For Bulletin
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 Diocesan; St. Raphael by Rita Franco; Damas Sr.
 Damas Jr. & Eleno Barrera by Gary & Violanda
 Harris; +Enequina Fierro by Belen Alvarez

SUNDAY, September 2, 2018

- 8:30 AM Mass – [HT] Doroteo Alviar-B'day by Sylvia S. Rocha
- 11:00 AM Mass – [HT] +Aida D. Sanchez & +Gilbert Duron by Diane Ewing; +Mr. & +Mrs Juan Munoz, +Luis Rios Sr. by Erlinda Rios; Rosa & +Jose Rivera by Mary & Terry Watkins; +Antonio Reyes Pena by Virginia Hinojos; Special Intention- Chris Gonzales by Essie & Lupe Ortiz; Carmen Harbour-Health by T.J. & Mary Lou Galan Stewart; Tony Saldaña-B'day by Saldaña Family; +Santos, +Erlinda & +Ismael Lujan by Lujan Family; +Ruben, +Rosalia Billalba, +Frances McKiski by Lujan Family.

MONDAY, September 3, 2018

- NO MASS

TUESDAY, September 4, 2018

- 12:15 PM [HT] +Orlando Tercero Sr. by Patsy Tercero

WEDNESDAY, September 5, 2018

- 7:00 PM [HT] Mass For The People; +Angelita Montoya by Cecilia T.

THURSDAY, September 6, 2018

- 10:00 AM [BSSH] All Souls in Purgatory by Sylvia S. Rocha
- 12:15 PM [HT] +Johnny, +Lydia & +Paul Flores by Mike & Johnny Flores

FRIDAY, September 7, 2018

- 7:00 AM [HT] All Souls in Purgatory by Morales Family

SATURDAY, September 8, 2018
 5:00 PM Mass – [HT] +Gary Flores by Luz Martinez; +Josie DeLeon by Rudy DeLeon & Family; All Souls in Purgatory by Gary & Violanda Harris; +Eliseo Jimenez by Roberto & Josephine Martinez; +Maria & +Jose Munoz by M/M Robert Munoz; In Thanksgiving – St. Raphael by G.M.L.; +Frances Hudson by Bill & Grace Phelps; +Guadalupe Gomez by Cecilia T; Our Lady of Mount Carmel by Albert Franco Jr.

SUNDAY, September 9, 2018

- 8:30 AM Mass – [HT] +Juan Rodriguez Jr. by Ramona & Ricardo Rodriguez
- 11:00 AM Mass – [HT] +Aida D. Sanchez & +Gilbert Duron by Diane Ewing; +Larry Duron by Diane Ewing; +Jose Rivera-3rd Death Anniversary by Mary & Terry Watkins; +Mike & +Ronnie Chavez by Essie & Lupe Ortiz; +Bernabe, +Pascuala, & +Petra Ruiz by Jr. & Dora Escanuelas; For All Health Care Professionals by T.J. & Mary Lou Galan Stewart; +Steven Valencia & Valencia Brothers by Elida Hinojos; For Bulletin Sponsors & Advertisers by John Hardwick, +Maria Olguin by Emma Olguin; +Jesse James Collins by Connie Alvarado & Family.



Sunday's Reflections
Ephesians 5:21-32

WHO'S IN CHARGE HERE?

When the bible says, “Wives should be subordinate to their husbands, for the husband is head of his wife,” it just doesn't sit right with a lot of people.

There are other beautiful images in this passage from the Letter to the Ephesians: “Christ is head of the church and savior of the body.” “The church is subordinate to Christ.” “Husbands should love their wives.” All those thoughts are in there. But a lot of people quit listening after the first line.

Ephesians compares the love of Christ for the church with the love of husband and wife. It says Christ is head of the church but loves the church as his own body, which it is. When the letter quotes Genesis about a man leaving home to be joined to his wife so the two shall become one flesh, it seems to say that is what Christ has done—left his heavenly home so that he and the church might be one.

Ephesians has in mind that the church will recognize Christ as its head, but be reassured that the head “nourishes and cherishes” the body. We have a loving relationship with Christ, even an intimate one. And we have no problem saying Christ is in charge.

But all that is hard to hear because it seems like the metaphor goes too far. Should wives be subordinate to their husbands? Not necessarily. Should we be subordinate to Christ? Absolutely.

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