

**CALL TO PROTECT**

In order to comply with diocesan policy of informing parents, we are inviting parents to come next **Sunday, February 24 at 9:30 AM** in the School Hall to watch the designated video for parents. This video is to help a Parents and children to recognize the signs of would be predators. All parents are invited! If you can not make it on Sunday, we will also be showing the video on **Wednesday, February 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM** in the school hall.

**HOMEBOUND MINISTERS MEETING**

Thursday, February 28, 2019 at 5:30 PM in the Family Center.

**LENTEN LITURGICAL MEETING**

Liturgical meeting on **Thursday, February 28, 2019 at 7:00 PM in Family Center**. Everyone involved in any Liturgy Ministry please attend. The planning for the Lenten Liturgical Season is the main topic of the evening.

**QUINCEANERA REQUIREMENTS**


If you are planning on celebrating your fifteenth birthday, there are requirements for a Quinceañera. For more information please come by office.

- Parents & Honoree must be practicing Catholics and registered members of Holy Trinity
- Honoree must have completed 2 years of Religious Education and enrolled in confirmation classes
- Attend Youth Group

Si planeas celebrar una fiesta de quince años, tenemos requisitos para una quinceañera. Para obtener más información, por favor venga a la oficina.

- La familia debe ser católica y miembros de la parroquia de Holy Trinity
- La quinceañera debe haber completado 2 años de educación religiosa y asistir a clases de confirmación
- Asistir al grupo de jóvenes

**FATHER'S SCHEDULE**

**Father Serafin will be going on his Marian Pilgrimage on Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> thru Sunday, March 17<sup>th</sup>. Please pray for him and our parishioners that are traveling with him to have a safe journey.**

**GRUB'N TUESDAY**

The youth group is sponsoring the Grub'n Tuesday! Come join us for fellowship and good food on **Tuesday, March 5, 2019 at 6:00 PM** in the Family Center.

The youth will have a variety of casseroles, desserts and drinks. Plenty for everyone to enjoy!

All proceeds go toward funding the youth group activities.

**COME SUPPORT OUR YOUTH!**



Great tasting Fish on Wednesday, March 6, 2019 starting at 5:30 PM till 8:30 PM!

Start Lent with a great fish dinner by Tommy Billalba and his group in the Family Center.

**MARRIAGE JUBILEE DAY**

It is time to register all couples attending our Diocesan Marriage Jubilee Day, 2019!

The bilingual Eucharistic celebration will take place on Sunday, March 24, 2019, at 3:00 PM at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in San Angelo.

Couples celebrating their 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 and above church wedding anniversaries in the calendar year of 2019 are invited.

Couples will need to bring verification of the couple's marriage in the church, by bringing a copy of their Church Marriage Certificate, or a letter from their pastor, stating that he verifies the couple is validly married.

Deadline for verification is March 7, 2019. Couple's wanting to participate may bring their verification to the church office at 1009 Hearn. If you have any questions, please call the office: 432-714-4930.

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

**February 24** – “Abortion affects countless marriages more than many people recognize. But there is no doubt that God will bring great healing to those who trust in his infinite mercy. If a past abortion can be acknowledged and addressed, a married couple can make great strides in experiencing even more fully God’s design that ‘the two shall become one’ (Mt 19:5).”

For abortion healing ministries: That through their service, our kind and merciful Lord will reach hurting hearts with healing and peace; we pray to the Lord.

Healing within Marriage from an Abortion” USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life

**PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS!**

**MIKE ELSNER**



Mike is 2<sup>nd</sup> year Theology at St. Mary’s Seminary. His birthday is January 16, 1972, and is from Midland, Tx. Mike’s favorite food is all sea food. He likes playing the bass guitar and weight lifting.

**KEEP MIKE IN PRAYER!**

# 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, February 25<sup>th</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month.

**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](http://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 Wednesdays in the East Room for our Ladies Bible Study.

**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 \$100

**School Hall Rental:**

Deposit \$50- Rental \$150- Insurance \$100

**OLG Family Center Rental:**

Deposit \$50- Rental \$300- Insurance \$100

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**  
02/17/2019

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	196	135
8:30 AM	175	98
11:00 AM	343	151
<b>Total</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>390</b>

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

**SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND**

**Saturday, February 23, 2019 & Sunday, February 24, 2019** – St. Vincent de Paul  
The funds help the needy people of Howard County and surrounding areas. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



**CCE CLASSES**

**JR HI/HIGH SCHOOL - Wednesday, February 27, 2019 at 6:30-fellowship; Class from 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM**

**ELEMENTARY - Sunday, March 3, 2019 at 9:30 AM – 10:45 AM**

**CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN INITIATION 'CCI'**

**CLASS - Wednesday, February 27, 2019 at 6:00 PM – 6:45 PM**

**LOVE DRAWS US BACK TO GOD**

Love God and do as you will, says St. Augustine, for love is its own commandment. That is how St. Francis took it and lived it. He sinned, as all humans do, but after his conversion, he always knew when he had sinned because Love's commandment drew him back to the divine love that underpinned everything he was and did. It was not so much fear of punishment that motivated Francis but rather his commitment to him whom he loved, Jesus Christ. To separate oneself from Christ would be the sin for Francis. If he feared anything, it would have been that he would betray Christ, the love of his life.

—from *Surrounded by Love: Seven Teachings from Saint Francis*

Faithfully United as the Trinity

*Unidos Fielmente como la Trinidad*



**Sunday Collection**  
02/17/2019

Envelope	\$5,329.50
Loose	\$1,982.00
Children's	\$36.92
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,348.42</b>

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**



**DECEMBER 2018**

Monthly Income for December  
\$51,637.35

Monthly Expenses for December  
\$36,473.72

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK**

**EWTN**



**SCHEDULE OF ENGLISH ULTREYAS**

All are invited to come and enjoy the fellowship.

**Tuesday, March 5, 2019 at 7:00 PM**-in the East Room

**Tuesday, March 19, 2019 at 7:00 PM**-in the East Room

**Tuesday, April 2, 2019 at 7:00 PM**- in the East Room.

**SPANISH ULTREYA**

Todos los lunes, 7:00 PM en el salón de escuela.

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 **Juan Molina, Leonardo Rios Jr and Dylan Marquez** who died this past week. We commend their souls and the intentions of the family to our continuing prayers.

**PRAYER FOR THE SICK**

Ronnie Ruiz, Soccoro Escanuelas, Joanna Paredez, Manuela Hernandez, Javier Hinojos, Lucy Cruz, Steven Robles, Rosie Padron, Mary Cortez, Lupe DeLeon. 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.**



"Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful."

- Luke 6:36

**Readings for the Week of  
February 24, 2019**

**Sunday**      **Seventh Sunday**  
**in Ordinary Time** 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9,  
12-13, 22-23; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8,  
10, 12-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk  
6:27-38

**Monday**      Sir 1:1-10; Ps  
93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Mk 9:14-29

**Tuesday**      Sir 2:1-11; Ps  
37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mk  
9:30-37

**Wednesday** Sir 4:11-19; Ps  
119:165, 168, 171, 172, 174, 175;  
Mk 9:38-40

**Thursday**      Sir 5:1-8; Ps 1:1-  
2, 3, 4 and 6; Mk 9:41-50

**Friday**      Sir 6:5-17; Ps  
119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35; Mk  
10:1-12

**Saturday**      Sir 17:1-15; Ps  
103:13-14, 15-16, 17-18; Mk  
10:13-16

**Sunday Eighth**      **Sunday**  
**in**  
**Ordinary Time** Sir 27:4-7; Ps  
92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16; 1 Cor 15:54-  
58; Lk 6:39-45



**SATURDAY, February 23, 2019**

5:00 PM Mass – [HT] +Stephanie &  
Imelda Melendez by *Luis & Rene  
Melendez*

**SUNDAY, February 24, 2019**

- 8:30 AM Mass – [HT] For The People

- 11:00 AM Mass – [HT] +Edward Rodriguez by *Martha & Gilbert Rubio*

**MONDAY, February 25, 2019**

- 2:00 PM Mass – [Canterbury] Ronnie Ruiz-Health by *Victor & Alicia Torres*

**TUESDAY, February 26, 2019**

- 12:15 PM [HT] St. Martin by *Librada Lopez*

**WEDNESDAY, February 27, 2019**

- 7:00 PM [HT] +Stephanie & +Imelda Melendez by *Luis & Rene Melendez*

**THURSDAY, February 28, 2019**

- 10:00 AM [BSSH] +Abraham Espinoza by *Martina Espinoza*

- 12:15 PM [HT] +Chuy & +Oscar Cervantes by *Rosario Medrano*

**FRIDAY, March 1, 2019**

- 7:00 AM [HT] +Mary Wilbanks by *Wanda Anderson*

**SATURDAY, March 2, 2019**

5:00 PM Mass – [HT] +Stephanie &  
Imelda Melendez by *Luis & Rene  
Melendez*

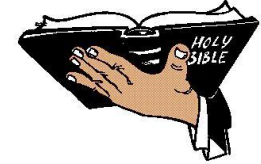
**SUNDAY, March 3, 2019**

- 8:30 AM Mass – [HT] For The People

- 11:00 AM Mass – [HT] +Vicente Calderon by *Ruth Calderon*

**SANCTUARY CANDLE**

February 24 – +Lupe & +Jesus Ortiz &  
+Delia O. Hoyte



**Sunday's Reflections**

1 Corinthians 15:45-49

**ADAM AND ADAM**

Adam and Jesus would seem to have nothing in common. Adam was created by God. Jesus was the eternal, uncreated Word of God. Adam was given paradise to live in, but he disobeyed God. Jesus was given a sinful world to live in, but he obeyed the Father. Adam is remembered as the firstborn of sinful humanity. Jesus is remembered as the firstborn from the dead. They seem to have nothing in common.

But Paul sees parallels in a short passage from his first letter to the Corinthians. He even refers to Jesus as "the last Adam" and "the second man." Paul writes, "The first man, Adam, became a living being, the last Adam a life-giving spirit. ... The first man was from the earth, earthly; the second man, from heaven."

Paul says that we Christians have inherited a little of each. Born human, we bear the image of the earthly Adam, the first one. But as Christians, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly Adam, the last one.

We are not simple creatures. We are inheriting a bit of divinity. It matters how we treat one another. We should not treat human beings as if they were disposable. There is something heavenly about us—even if on some days we behave rather earthly.

Adam and Jesus have something in common. They give us hope for eternal life, and they influence our daily lives.

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