

**St. Mary's
&
Holy Name of Jesus
Catholic Churches**



**Diocese of Amarillo
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Mass Schedule			
		Umbarger	Happy
Mon, Feb 26		No Mass	No Mass
Tue, Feb 27		7 PM + Brandon Dietz	No Mass
Wed, Feb 28		8 AM - Patrick Le (BD)	No Mass
Thu, Mar 1		8 AM - Christian Mothers	7 PM - Sr. Mary Peter
Fri, Mar 2		8 AM - Knights of Columbus	No Mass
Sat, Mar 3	First Friday	No Mass	5:30 PM - Parish Family
Sun, Mar 4	3 rd Sunday of Lent	9:00 AM - Parish Family	No Mass

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March 4, 2018 Sunday	Tim Steffens	Caden Dorman Kyle Guererro Brylee Jesko	Denise Schenk Kevin Schenk Alex Butcher	Volunteers

Divine Mercy Chaplet: 1st Sunday at 10 AM
Anointing of the Sick: 2nd weekend after mass
Question and Answers w/ Fr Christopher:
 2nd Sundays at 10:00 a.m. in the hall
CYO 4th Sunday 6:00 pm. at the Hall
CCD: Sundays at 10:15-11:30

CYO News There will not be a CYO breakfast on Mar 18 due to spring break.

Also, the CYO will have a **Lenten Retreat** Friday Mar 16 through Saturday Mar 17. Any CYO members interested in attending should call Tina Finke at 806-683-7777.

Stations of the Cross will be every Friday at 7 PM. If your Family or Parish organization would like to lead the station, contact Fr. Christopher to be placed on the calendar.

21st Annual Respect Life Banquet Sunday, February 25, 2018, 4:00 PM. Location: Amarillo Civic Center. The 21st annual Respect Life Banquet, at the Amarillo Civic Center.

Donation Statements If you need a donation statement for you 2017 taxes please contact Valerie Kuhnert at vkuhnert@suddenlink.net or contact Fr. Christopher

United Catholic Appeal St. Mary's
 Quota: \$16,534
 Pledged: \$16,905.08
 Paid: \$14,660.08

Fruhlingsfest will be on May 5. Tickets are already on sale and available from Suzy Hicks. If each family sells at least 4 tickets we could sell out this year!

St Mary's Prayer Blanket Ministry If you or a loved one suffers from a serious illness and would like a blanket, please contact Laurie Wegman or Fr Christopher.

Vocations Chalice: Sign-up to take the chalice home on the parish website (Liturgy/ Vocations Chalice tab) or by filling out one of the cards found in the narthex and placing it in the collection.

Parish Finances Feb 18
 Regular: \$1,161
 Children's: \$12

St. Mary's Christian Mothers will be collecting items for a baby Layette to be given to the Amarillo Agency for Women. Bring Items to the parish hall after Mass.

Fr. Christopher will be gone on the CSC mission trip March 10 & 11. A visiting priest from Cross Outreach Ministries will be coming. We are in need of at least 2 volunteers, one to pick him up at the airport Saturday, get him settled into the rectory, and take him down to Happy for Mass. We need a second volunteer to take him back to the airport on Sunday. Please contact Fr. Christopher if you are able to help.

Bible Study and fellowship at Frances and Bill Dorsey's home every Thursday at 7:00 PM. All are welcomed. 23360 Brown Rd, Canyon, 806.656.0766.

Preparing the Way St. Mary's Umbarger
 Quota - \$105,000
 Pledged: \$121,475
 Paid: \$72,280

Holy Name of Jesus

Parish Finances

Regular Collection Feb 17: \$59

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Declaraciones de donación Si necesita una declaración de donación para sus impuestos de 2017, póngase en contacto con el Padre. Christopher.

United Catholic Appeal Holy Name

Quota: \$2,579
 Pledged: \$2,850
 Paid: \$2,790

United Catholic Appeal Santo Nombre

Cuota: \$ 2,579
 Comprometido: \$ 2,850
 Pagado: \$ 2,790

27th Annual Sausage Dinner St. Ann's Parish, 605 38th St, Canyon, TX invites all to their Czech Sausage Dinner on March 4 from 11 AM to 2 PM. They will be serving Czech sausage, potatoes, green beans, sauerkraut, bread, and homemade cobbler. Adults \$10, children 5-12 \$5, under 5 eat for free.

Cena anual de salchichas St. Ann's Parish, 605 38th St, Canyon, TX invita a todos a su cena de salchichas el 4 de marzo de 11 a.m. a 2 p.m. Servirán salchichas checas, papas, judías verdes, chucrut, pan y cobbler casero. Adultos \$ 10, niños de 5-12 \$ 5, menores de 5 años comen gratis.

St. Teresa of Jesus Church in Friona would like to invite everyone to their Mexican Dinner on March 4, 2018 from 11:00 - 2:00 PM. They will serve enchiladas, tacos, rice, beans, chips, salsa, dessert, tea and coffee. \$12 for adults and \$6 for children 10 and under.

La Iglesia de Santa Teresa de Jesús en Friona desea invitar a todos a su Cena Mexicana el 4 de marzo de 2018 de 11:00 a 2:00 PM. Servirán enchiladas, tacos, arroz, frijoles, chips, salsa, postre, té y café. \$ 12 para adultos y \$ 6 para niños de 10 años o menos.

Preparing the Way Holy Name of Jesus

Quota - \$25,000
 Pledged: \$19,200
 Paid: \$11,425

Preparando el Camino Santo Nombre de Jesús

Cuota - \$ 25,000
 Comprometido: \$ 19,200
 Pagado: \$ 11,425

Free Books: The Catholic Historical Society has an excess of books that have been donated from the collection of Fr. Ken Keller, the Benedictine Monastery, and some from the collection of Bishop FitzSimons. These books will be given away Monday - Friday, 9 AM to 3 PM until March 1.

Libros gratis: The Catholic Historical Society tiene un exceso de libros que han sido donados de la colección del p. Ken Keller, el monasterio benedictino, y algunos de la colección del obispo FitzSimons. Estos libros serán entregados el lunes a viernes, de 9 AM a 3 PM hasta el 1 de marzo.

NEWS FROM AROUND THE DIOCESE

FOR BULLETIN NOTICES – Bulletin Deadline: Thursday @ noon. For St Mary’s please contact Lana Bracken cell: 806.640.4672; email: LanaSueBracken@gmail.com. For Holy Name of Jesus please contact Fr. Christopher s.c.schwind@gmail.com

Baptism or Wedding Please contact Fr. Christopher at least 1 month in advance for baptisms and 6 months advance for weddings.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Umbarger: Sundays at 8:30 am or by appointment. **Happy:** Saturdays at 5 p.m. and Thursday at 6:30 p.m. or by appointment.

To use or rent the church or parish hall, please contact Fr. Christopher or Debbie Batenhorst at least 3 months before the event.

FOR MASS INTENTIONS please call Fr Christopher or leave the intention in the collection basket.

Please pray for all the sick in our parishes

ST. MARY’S: Grace Vanderford (Bill & Frances Dorsey’s granddaughter), Jeremy Koch, Bill Stocker, John Grabber, April Artho, Mary Kolac, Gene Schenk, John Wilson, Kyle Henderson, Jose Sanchez, Ashlee Trevino (Jose’s & Ali’s granddaughter), Audree Rose Gomez (Jeff & Faunette Stocker’s granddaughter), Patsy Huseman, Mike Smith, Oscar Olvera, Collier Friemel, Marcella Brandt, Tuffy Schenk, Lusi Ortiz (Cheile Ortiz’s sister), Gaylord Malecha, Willie Wieck, John Kreighauser, Sean Schenk

Holy Name of Jesus: Larry Simons, Pedra Soto



Natural Family Planning (NFP). Learn NFP at home and at your own pace with the **Home Study Course** from NFP International, www.nfpandmore.org. Includes Ecological Breastfeeding (it really *can* space babies), a double-check system of fertility awareness, and Catholic teaching that’s easy to understand. Work with a live instructor by email. Completion certificate. Only \$70.



Christopher West noted speaker on the St John Paul II’s Theology of the Body will be making a presentation at St. Mary’s Cathedral on March 22. Tickets are \$20/person. See Fr. Christopher or Heath Henderson for more information.

A SIGN OF SUCCESS: THE ITALIAN CONNECTION: Art and Music from a By-Gone Age. Featuring WTAMU Brass Choir conducted by Dr. Guglielmo Manfredi and The Art of Italian Prisoners of War. SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25 | 4:30 PM St. Mary’s Catholic Church | Umbarger, Texas. Please RSVP to Harlee Bonilla at 806.651.2777 or hbonilla@wtamu.edu Please join us from 3:00 - 4:30 pm for a pre-concert Dolci e Champagne reception in the St. Mary’s Catholic Parish Hall and Guided Tours of St. Mary’s Catholic Church Italian Art Interests

St. Mary's Liturgy List – March 2018

Date	Lector	Server	Eucharistic Minister	Gifts
March 4, 2018 Sunday	Tim Steffens	Caden Dorman Kyle Guererro Brylee Jesko	Denise Schenk Kevin Schenk Alex Butcher	Volunteers
March 11, 2018 Sunday	Frances Dorsey	Sonora Garrett Kaytlyn Garrett Brynleigh Crockett	Kristi Powell Lesann Hartman Suzy Hicks	Christian Mothers
March 18, 2018 Sunday	Jillian Johnson	Matthew Steffens Jacie Guererro Chance Butcher	Dustin Dorman Jason Garrett Danny Hicks	April Artho Charles Russell
March 25, 2018 Palm Sunday	Heath Henderson Brandon Finke	Landon Finke Natalee Finke Tatum Keller	Dustin Artho Mike Wegman Kelley Wegman	Volunteers
March 29, 2018 Holy Thursday	Rick Auckerman	Charles Russell Alex Butcher Jillian Johnson	Rachel Batenhorst Jamie Pender Bill Dorsey	Volunteers
March 30, 2018 Good Friday Veneration/Cross	Melvin Wieck Robert Friemel	Volunteers	Kathy Wieck	N/A
March 31, 2018 Easter Vigil	Roger Batenhorst	Landon Finke Natalee Finke Tatum Keller	Kristi Batenhorst Tina Finke Brandon Finke	RCIA Candidates

If you are unable to serve, please find a replacement.

Lists of liturgical ministers are available in the sacristy.

*****Thank You*****



Lenten Action for Dreamers: Congressional Call-In Campaign

Please participate in the Call-in Day to Congress on **Monday, February 26, 2018!** Your advocacy is critical to help the nearly 1.8 million Dreamers, young people who were brought into the United States by their parents as children. They may face deportation as soon as March 6, unless Congress reaches a bi-partisan deal to protect them. Please follow these easy steps to help:

1. Please call 855-589-5698 to reach the Capitol switchboard, and **press 1 to connect to your Senators**. Once you are connected to each Senator's office, please ask the person on the phone to **deliver this simple message:**

"I urge you to support a bipartisan, common-sense, and humane solution for Dreamers:

- *Protect Dreamers from deportation and provide them with a path to citizenship.*
- *Reject proposals that undermine family immigration or protections for unaccompanied children.*
- *As a Catholic, I know that families are not "chains," but a blessing to be protected.*
- *Act now to protect Dreamers, our immigrant brothers and sisters."*

2. Please call 855-589-5698 a second time to reach the Capitol switchboard again, and **press 2 to connect to your Representative**. Once you are connected to the Representative's office, please ask the person on the phone to **deliver the same message as above**.

After completing your call, please go to <http://www.justiceforimmigrants.org> to learn more about Dreamers and find other ways to voice your support.



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