

# FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 29, 2012

## Mass Intentions

<i>Tue.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Living & Deceased Korinek, Sykora & Smolka Family Members
	10 A.M.	David Wick & Joseph Thomas
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Barbara Stary
	8:05 A.M.	Dennis Stirnemann
<i>Thu.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Mary Ann Lauer
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	James Edward Ward
	10 A.M.	Agnes & Gussie Honc & Sister Euphrosine
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Claire Garner
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Anita Drozd
	9 A.M.	Joe & Darryl Vinklarek
	11 A.M.	Guadalupe Gomez

## Prayer List

Contact Theresa Bordovsky at 293-3124 or  
Ann Marie Bludau at 798-2959.

## This Sunday's Holy Scripture

Deut 18:15-250; 1Cor 7:32-35; Mark 1:21-28

## Your Gift to God: January 22<sup>nd</sup>

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$4,542.89
Online Giving	\$110
Building Fund	\$50
Special Collection ( <i>Church in Latin America</i> )	\$158
St. Ann Parish Support	\$375
Building Fund	\$25
Special Collection ( <i>Church in Latin America</i> )	\$65

*May God reward your generosity!*

## 24 Hour Eucharistic Adoration

We will have our monthly 24 hours of Eucharistic Adoration beginning this Thursday after the 6:30 A.M. Mass in the Meeting Room (door combination 2-4-3). Come and spend time in the presence of the Lord.

## Adoration...Devotional Hour

During the 24 hours of Eucharistic Adoration on Thursday there will be a "special" devotional hour from 3:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. This will include the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary and other prayers combined with time for private reflection.

## First Friday Devotions

This Friday at 6:10 A.M. we will have traditional devotions in honor of the Sacrea Heart of Jesus, concluding with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

## Liturgical Assignments

### Lectors

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Carol Bade
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Al Janak
	9 A.M.	Georgia Kutach
	11 A.M.	Teresita Hopkins

### Offertory Gifts

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Arthur & Janis Hermann
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Bridget & Lauren Vinklarek

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Gary & Lorie Lacina, Dorothy Zabransky
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Jimmy & Shirley Mudd, Rick Jahn
	11 A.M.	Susie Barrera

### Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Mitchel Harbus, Jr., John Barrera, Mitchel Harbus, III, Charlie Proschko
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Dennis Kocian, Joseph Machalec
	9 A.M.	Robbie Hagan, Lance Muenich, David & JoAnn Muehlstein
	11 A.M.	Robert Barrera, Rachel Rodriguez, Alice Nunez, Evelyn Mata

### Altar Servers

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Emma & Morgan Hull, Michael Chomout
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Cole & Paige Brown
	9 A.M.	Neil Berger, Jenna Berkovsky, Emily Harper
	11 A.M.	John Sanchez, Jorge Trujillo, Tristan Caballero

## Adoracion del Santissimo

Este Jueves vamos a tener nuestra hora de adoracion y devocion en espanol en el Salon Parroquial desde las 8:00 P.M. a las 9:00 P.M. Todos estan invitados a compartir su fe durante esta hora de alabanza y oracion.

## Blessing of Throats

This Friday is the Feast of St. I. We will have the traditional Blessing of Throats during the 6:30 A.M. Mass in the Church.

## Prayer Garden Bricks

We are getting our annual order together for the inscribed bricks in the prayer garden. Inside this weekend's bulletin is a flyer for setting up an order. As in the past, we will wait until we have a good number desired before the order is actually submitted. Call the office if more information is needed.

## **A Special Time of Prayer - Eucharistic Adoration this Tuesday**

The Yoakum Knights of Columbus are sponsoring the Traveling Icon of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Unborn and Patroness of Life, which will be in our parish beginning Monday, January 30<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, February 5<sup>th</sup>. There will be a special prayer service and Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup> from 6:30 P.M. to 7:30 P.M. in the church. All parishioners, especially all active KC members, are encouraged to come and pray.

## **Altar Society Meeting**

Members are encouraged to bring guests to the meeting which begins at 2:30 P.M. on Wednesday, February 1<sup>st</sup> at the Family Center. The program presenter will be Alan Sommers. Hostesses are: Mary Ann Wenzel, Ruby Jiral, Dorothy Janca, Helen Manning and Margaret Molnoskey.

## **KC Super Bowl BBQ**

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring their annual Super Bowl BBQ on Sunday, February 5<sup>th</sup>. Brisket with trimmings will be served from 10:00 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. at the Community Center. Plates to go only. Tickets are \$7.50 and may be purchased at First State Bank, Yoakum National Bank, parish office or from any KC member.

## **Atencion: Comunidad Hispana**

Vamos a tener una junta el 5 de febrero inmediatamente despues de las Misa de las 11 A.M. Esta junta es para escuchar y hablar sobre la posibilidad de formando un grupo (solidaridad) de Adoracion Eucaristico. Un Senor de Houston va a venir y darnos la informacion sobre este posibilidad. Todos estan invitados. Comparten la informacion con sus familiares.

## **Disciples on the Journey**

Lent is less than a month away and the diocese is again offering the series of lectionary based reflections called Disciples on the Journey. Anyone interested in organizing a group or simply desiring to be part of a group are asked to contact the parish office (call or email secretary@stj catholicchurch.com). We need to be able to get the order together in time for Lent so all are encouraged to be prompt in their planning.

## **Planning Ahead: Little Black Books**

As in the past few years the parish will provide the Lenten prayer/reflections series, Little Black Books, in English and Spanish. They will be available the Sunday prior to Ash Wednesday.

## **Over 120 Years**

When one considers just how long the Catholic Church has had a presence in this community, it should offer a great sense of pride and accomplishment. In 1869 when the parish was officially established Catholics had already been gathering for the celebration of the sacraments for nearly 40 years. Then after being recognized as a parish, the growing community set out to offer Catholic education—over 120 years ago the Catholic settlers sacrificed and devoted themselves to providing a solid education for their children—the future of this community. Then in 1912 the community had continued to grow and expand so the parish built our present Church, and somewhat later, the present school building. Our Parish School continues to fulfill that early dream of providing a solid Catholic education for our young people—and in doing so—providing for the future of this community and the Church at large!

## **Baptisms**

We're at that point again where there is a large number of families who have completed the baptismal preparation class. Call the parish office to setup the date and time for celebrating the Sacrament. Baptisms are celebrated after any of the weekend Masses (providing that the spot is not already booked). Don't procrastinate in sharing the gift of spiritual adoption for your child—let them receive the graces of the Sacrament promptly!

## **Diocesan News**

The Diocese of Victoria needs to hear from everyone who would like to have a paper copy of The Catholic Lighthouse newspaper delivered to their address. The newspaper office wants everyone who wants The Catholic Lighthouse to receive it; it just does not want the paper sent to those who do not want it. Please send your name, address and phone number (in case we have a question) to The Catholic Lighthouse, P. O. Box 4070, Victoria, TX 77903; fill out and send in DSA postcard, which will be sent to your home soon; call (361) 573-0828 (request Regina) and leave information as message if she's busy; or go to [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org) and click on "RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION TODAY." Thank you for your support and patience.

## **St. Joseph PTC Gala – February 11<sup>th</sup>**

The annual St. Joseph PTC Gala, benefiting St. Joseph School, will be held on Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at Turner Hall. There will be a social, meal, live and silent auctions, music and other entertainment. Tickets are \$50 and may be purchased at the St. Joseph School office, the rectory or by mail. Tickets will be entered in a drawing for a chance to win \$500 cash. To become a sponsor or for more information, please call the school office, 361-293-9000.

