

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church

Catholic Diocese of Victoria in Texas

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (anticipation)-----5:00 p.m.

Sunday ----- 7:30 a.m. & 9:00 a.m.

Monday-----8:00 a.m.

Tuesday-----8:00 a.m.

Wednesday-----6:00 p.m.

Thursday-----8:00 a.m.

Friday-----8:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday-----4:00-4:45 p.m.

Sunday-----8:15-8:45 a.m.

Youth Minister-----Joey Sablatura

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Parish Secretary-----Karen Klaus

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday:-- 8:00 a.m.--Noon & 1:00-5:00 p.m.

Friday-----8:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon

New Members

Welcome to Assumption Parish!

Please call or stop by the Parish Office to register.

Holy Communion to the Home-Bound

Each Wednesday. If you are unable to attend Mass due to illness or disability, please call the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents and Godparents are required to attend a baptismal class. Come by the Parish Office to ask about requirements for Godparents, and to register for a class. The schedule for 2021 Baptism class is: **August 17, November 9**. All classes begin at 7:00 p.m. at the John Paul II Family Center.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Please make an appointment with the Pastor at least six months prior to the intended date. No wedding date will be firm until after the initial meeting with the Pastor.

July 18, 2021

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

TODAY'S READINGS

Jeremiah 23:1-6. *I will gather the remnant of my flock and appoint shepherds for them.*

Psalms 23. *"The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want."*

Ephesians 2:13-18. *Christ is our peace who made both one.*

Mark 6:30-34. *They were like sheep without a shepherd.*

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

When has my compassion for someone or for others pushed aside my own needs?

How can I put others' need first more often?

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Mon: Exodus 14:5-18

Matthew 12:38-42

Tues: Exodus 14:21—15:1

Matthew 12:46-50

Wed: Exodus 16:1-5, 9-15

Matthew 13:1-9

Thurs: Songs 3:1-4

John 20:1-2, 11-18

Fri: Exodus 20:1-17

Matthew 13:18-23

Sat: Exodus 24:3-8

Matthew 13:24-30

Sun: 2 Kings 4:42-44

Ephesians 4:1-6

John 6:1-15

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, July 17
 5:00 p.m. Parishioners & Benefactors

Sunday, July 18
 7:30 a.m. †Clarence Vyvjala
 9:00 a.m. †Bill & Irene Janecek

Monday, July 19
 8:00 a.m. Living & Deceased KJT members

Tuesday, July 20
 8:00 a.m. †Raymond Hubenak

Wednesday, July 21
 6:00 p.m. †Estella Pena

Thursday, July 22
 8:00 a.m. †Julie Brown

Friday, July 23
 8:00 a.m. †Leo Vanek

Saturday, July 24
 5:00 p.m. †Margie Vick

Sunday, July 25
 7:30 a.m. Parishioners & Benefactors
 9:00 a.m. †Bill Spacek

ALTAR FLOWERS

In thanksgiving for 33rd wedding anniversary
 by Wayne & Diane Bubela

In thanksgiving for 29th wedding anniversary
 by Mike & Debbie Van Pelt
 In memory of J.J. Mendez
 by Janie Mendez & Rose Rivera

SANCTUARY CANDLE



In memory of Abel & Consuelo Marroquin
 by Frank & Terri Morales

In thanksgiving 29th wedding anniversary
 by Robert & Missie Landry

BULLETIN SPONSOR

Wayne & Diane Bubela
 In thanksgiving for 33rd wedding anniversary

KC CHICKEN FRIED STEAK DINNER

Sunday, July 25 10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Assumption Parish Hall
\$10 per plate donation
Dine in or Plates to Go



Tickets available at the Parish Office and from KC members.



PARISH RAFFLE

Sunday, August 15
60 Prizes valued at \$10,270!

Tickets are available on the cabinets in Church. There are 4 pages of tickets, worth \$100, in each envelope. We ask that you sign your name and how many envelopes you take on a sheet next to the tickets. **Parishioners who do not pick up their tickets in Church will receive them in the mail.** Please help us avoid this extra expense.

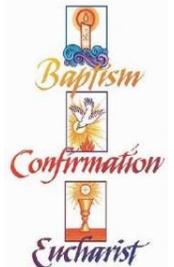
SAVE THE DATE!

Sunday, August 15
 10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Assumption Parish Hall
Pork Steak Dinner
 Includes steak, potatoes, green beans, roll
 \$12 donation Dine In or Pick Up

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The RCIA class will meet on **Tuesday** evenings, beginning **September 7**, from 7:00-9:00 p.m., in the St. John Paul II Family Center.

Do you know someone not baptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who is curious about what it means to become Catholic? Do you know someone already Catholic who has not yet received Confirmation and Communion? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a place to ask questions and seek understanding. Studies show that a personal invitation makes all the difference when someone is considering joining the Catholic Church. Call **Rose Chovanec (771-3087)** to sign up and for more information.



YEAR OF FAMILY: THEME FOR JULY GRANDPARENTS

The feast of Saints Joachim & Anne is celebrated on **July 26**. Let us look to their example as Mary's parents and Jesus' Grandparents as we prepare to observe their feast day this month. Grandparents play a vital role in the life of the family, including cultivating the love of God in children and grandchildren. We pray in thanksgiving for all grandparents this month.

The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MEETINGS THIS WEEK

- **Monday, July 19**
Men's Gathering 6:30 p.m. Maria Goretti House
- **Tuesday, July 20**
Scripture Study 9:30 a.m. JP II



"INTO THE BREACH"

Calling all **MEN!**

Monday, July 19, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. at the St. Maria Goretti House, the Men's Gathering ministry encourages ALL MEN to come to participate in this exciting program. For more information contact either Mike Van Pelt (771-5818) or Pat Petrash (771-5219).

RETROUVAILLE

August 6-8

Is your marriage going down the right road . . . or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage. Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and it offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. For more information about the upcoming Victoria Retrouvaille Weekend scheduled for August 6-8, contact John or Jennifer Vincent (361) 580-2770 or email: 2046@retrouvaille.org or visit the web site at HelpOurMarriage.org. Registration ends July 30.



PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS



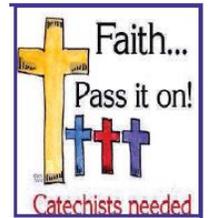
Deacon Richard Barfield
Deacon Tran Dinh
Joseph Blackburn, Philippe Dubourdieu,
Shane Goertz, Ryan Kapavik,
Caleb Krischke, Aaron Padilla
and Luke Prihoda



JOEY SABLATURA, Youth Minister
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CCD TEACHERS NEEDED

Please prayerfully consider helping with our CCD program. Without your help we cannot have a faith formation program. Helping a child learn about our faith through formation, sacramental preparation, and youth ministry events is a gift, both given and received.



We are in need of:

- 2 – 1st grade teachers
- 2 – 2nd grade teachers
- 1 – 3rd grade teacher
- 2 – 5th grade teachers
- 2 or 3 – 6th & 7th grade teachers
and 3-4 room monitors/aides
- 2 – 8th grade Theology of the Body
- 2 – 1st Year Confirmation
- 1 – 2nd Year Confirmation
- 1 – Post Confirmation teacher
and 2-3 room monitors/aides

All Faith Formation Classes begin on
Wednesday, September 1, 2021.

Elementary grades 1st-5th 4:15 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Jr. High / High School 7:00 p.m. – 8:15 p.m.

All new volunteers will need Safe Environment Training. Please fill out Volunteer/Medical Release form and return to Joey Sablatura or call the Youth Office (771-3200) for more information.

2021-2022 REGISTRATION FORMS

Family registration forms for the 2021-2022 CCD year are available in Church. Please fill out and return with the fee of **\$50 per family** to **Joey** at the **St. John Paul II Family Center**.



Prayer: *God I thank you for the gift of knowledge!
I praise you that you provide us with brains to think
and question the world around us.
I pray you would help my child learn well and flourish.
May they discover their unique talents and gifts.
Give them a passion for the world around them. Amen*

MINISTRIES for JULY 24 & 25

LECTORS:

5:00 PM – Mike Sablatura
7:30 AM – Missie Landry
9:00 AM – Clinton Wooldridge

ALTAR SERVERS:

5:00 PM – Nick Carruthers & Peyton Green
7:30 AM – Joey Sablatura
9:00 AM – Abby Tegeler & Matthew Sulak

OUR PARISH STEWARDSHIP

July 10 & 11

Envelopes – \$4,124.00 Loose – \$373.20
Youth - \$20.00 Maintenance – \$1,262.00

You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God.
2 Corinthians 9:11

PRAYER REQUESTS



Leo Macha, Lesley Klekar, Jeanette Labay, Jo Ann Andel, Leona Popp, Alice Staff, Mat Pena, Alvin Svoboda, Jeanette Supak, Delfina Rodriguez, Gerald Bures, Jr. Rachel Chovanec, Janie Mendez, Debbie Fowler, Bernita Korenek, Doug Hlavaty, Steve Rosalez, Adrienne Gregory, Roxane Pape Mancuso, Mary Garcia, Peggy Van Pelt, Toni Wyer, Barbara Arnold, Courtney Rozner, Joyce Pecha, Terry Joe Lesak, Gary & Dot Dufour, Colin Dufour, Alice Saucedo Sanchez, Ray Cervantes, All the Unborn and their parents, People serving in the Military, Holy Souls in Purgatory

THE PRO-LIFE CORNER

“Reproductive rights should mean the right to be free to produce children, not the right to kill children.” Pray and work to end abortion on demand.

READINGS for JULY 25: SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

1st Reading: 2 Kings 4:42-44

A man came from Baal-shalishah bringing to Elisha, the man of God, twenty barley loaves made from the firstfruits, and fresh grain in the ear. Elisha said, “Give it to the people to eat.” But his servant objected, “How can I set this before a hundred people?” Elisha insisted, “Give it to the people to eat.” “For thus says the LORD, ‘They shall eat and there shall be some left over.’” And when they had eaten, there was some left over, as the LORD had said.

2nd Reading: Ephesians 4:1-6

Brothers and sisters: I, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to live in a manner worthy of the call you have received, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another through love, striving to preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace: one body and one Spirit, as you were also called to the one hope of your call; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.



Gospel: John 6:1-15

Jesus went across the Sea of Galilee. A large crowd followed him, because they saw the signs he was performing on the sick. Jesus went up on the mountain, and there he sat down with his disciples. The Jewish feast of Passover was near. When Jesus raised his eyes and saw that a large crowd was coming to him, he said to Philip, “Where can we buy enough food for them to eat?” He said this to test him, because he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, “Two hundred days’ wages worth of food would not be enough for each of them to have a little.” One of his disciples, Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, said to him, “There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?” Jesus said, “Have the people recline.” Now there was a great deal of grass in that place. So the men reclined, about five thousand in number. Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted. When they had had their fill,

he said to his disciples, “Gather the fragments left over, so that nothing will be wasted.” So they collected them, and filled twelve wicker baskets with fragments from the five barley loaves that had been more than they could eat. When the people saw the sign he had done, they said, “This is truly the Prophet, the one who is to come into the world.” Since Jesus knew that they were going to come and carry him off to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain alone.