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THE SANCTUARY LIGHT
IS OFFERED
FOR THE
RYAN AND DAISY
NGUYEN FAMILY
SPECIAL
INTENTION

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20

5:00 PM MISSA PRO POPULO

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21 THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:30 AM +CAROLYN GASSEN

Tuesday, January 23, at 9:30 AM

For the end of abortion

Tuesday, January 23, 10:00 AM - 11 AM

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, January 24, at 9:30 AM

For the most vulnerable

Thursday, January 25, at 9:30 AM

+Mercedes Estrada

Friday, January 26, at 9:30 AM

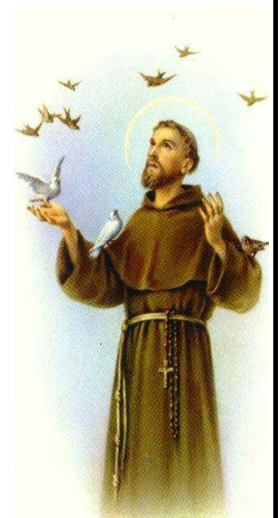
For all souls in Purgatory

Saturday, January 27, at 5:00 PM

Missa Pro Populo

Sunday, January 28, at 9:30 AM

+Maria Hoa



MINISTERS FOR JANUARY 27 AND JANUARY 28

Eucharistic Ministers:

Saturday: Cup: Ron Zajac and Donna Manthei
Bread: Kathy Russell

Sunday: Cup: Jeanne Kirk and Donna Manthei

Altar Servers:

Saturday: Rowdy Watkins

Sunday: Makayla Triolo and Callie Patton

Commentators/Lectors:

Saturday: Ron Zajac

Sunday: CYM

Music:

Saturday: SFC

Sunday: Everett and Jenny Green

YOUR GIFTS TO GOD

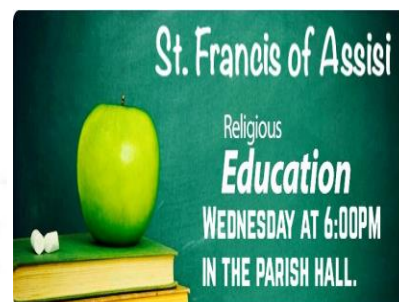
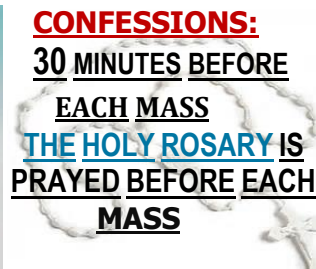


Church: \$2,577.00

Building Fund: \$15.00

"For it is in giving that we receive"

- St. Francis of Assisi



8th Annual Ladies' Day of Reflection Come meet Bill Murray's Big Sister!

Sr. Nancy Murray, OP, will present the life of St. Catherine of Siena.

February 17, 2018, 9 am - 4 pm at St. Joseph Parish Activity Center in Bryan.

The day will include morning meditations by Legionary of Christ priests, Mass, confessions, light breakfast and lunch served. Cost \$40. Register online at www.regnumchristibcs.org or mail payment (payable to RC Activities BCS) to Susan Lovelette, 4908 Park Hampton Dr. Bryan, TX 77802, email: sglovelette@gmail.com. Sponsored by the Ladies of Regnum Christi.

2018 13-day Camino de Santiago/Fatima pilgrimage:

Please join other Catholics from the Galveston/Houston/Austin area to hike the Camino de Santiago along the countryside of Spain. This tour begins in Sarria, the most popular Camino starting point, covering the last 100km of the Camino Francés to converge on Santiago de Compostela with an additional stop in Fatima and Porto. There are spots available for the following 2018 dates: June 4-16 and June 25-July 7. If you are interested in joining this spiritual journey, contact Jane Lakatos at jhlakatos@gmail.com.

"The world is a book and those who do not travel read only one page." - St Augustine

Catholic Charities Creating Hope in the Brazos Valley Luncheon

Creating Hope brings our community together to provide support for Catholic Charities' mission to end poverty throughout the Brazos Valley. We invite you to participate and CREATE HOPE in our community by sharing amazing stories of those we serve. The 7th Annual Creating Hope in the Brazos Valley Luncheon is on Thursday, February 22 from noon to 1 p.m. at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church and is free to attend, so reserve your seat today! Visit or call Sandra in the parish office.

Catholic Social Teaching Corner:

This Sunday we hear Jesus first proclaim the Good News that the kingdom of God is at hand. As he began this ministry, he called a community to accompany and assist him, but they needed to leave their old lives behind. As we grow in discipleship, what is it that we need to leave behind in order to follow Jesus more fully? Are there attitudes or actions that are not in keeping with the kingdom values of Jesus that we need to abandon? The world and our culture cling to prejudices, racism, individualism, materialism and consumerism. Whose ways are we following, the ways of Jesus or the ways of the world?

A message from Bishop Vásquez

Day of Prayer

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM), no. 373, designates Jan. 22 as a particular day of prayer and penance, called the Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children, "In all the Dioceses of the United States of America, January 22 (or January 23, when January 22 falls on a Sunday) shall be observed as a particular day of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion." I ask all the faithful to pray and or perform an act of penance on Jan. 22.

