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THE SANCTUARY LIGHT  
IS OFFERED  
IN LOVING  
MEMORY  
OF  
BOBBY  
ZAROSKY

## LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

5:00 PM

MISSA PRO POPULO

SUNDAY, APRIL 22

9:30 AM

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

+ Nguyen Family living and deceased members

Tuesday, April 24, at 9:30 AM

+Ricky McNair

Tuesday, April 24, 10:00 AM - 11 AM

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, April 25, at 9:30 AM

For All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, April 26, at 9:30 AM

For the conversion of sinners

Friday, April 27, at 9:30 AM

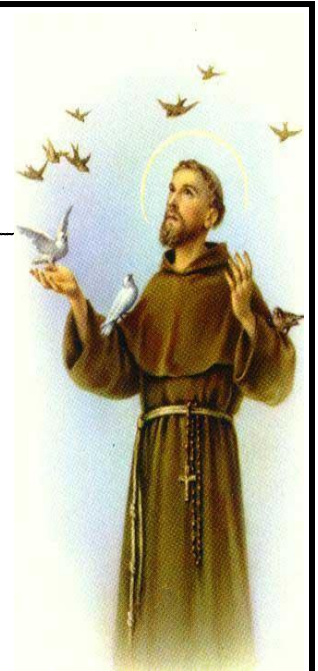
Ad Mentem MF Superioris

Saturday, April 28, at 5:00 PM

Missa Pro Populo

Sunday, April 29, at 9:30 AM

For First Holy Communicants



### MINISTERS FOR APRIL 28 AND APRIL 29

#### Eucharistic Ministers:

Saturday: Cup: Henry Dao and Ron Zajac

Bread: Kathy Russell

Sunday: Cup: Jeanne Kirk and Donna Manthei

#### Altar Servers:

Saturday: Rowdy Watkins

Sunday: Makayla Triolo, Callie and Casey Patton

#### Commentators/Lectors:

Saturday: Ron Zajac

Sunday: CYM

#### Music:

Saturday: Teddy Manthei

Sunday: The SF Choir

### YOUR GIFTS TO GOD



Church: \$

Building Fund: \$

Children: \$

*"For it is in giving that we receive"*

*- St. Francis of Assisi*

**Eucharistic Adoration**




**EVERY TUESDAY**  
**10 AM – 11 AM**



**FIRST FRIDAY AT 9:00 AM**  
**FIRST SATURDAY AT 4:30 PM**  
**ROSARY, HOLY MASS**  
**DEVOTION PRAYER**

**CONFESSIONS:**  
**30 MINUTES BEFORE**  
**EACH MASS**  
**THE HOLY ROSARY IS**  
**PRAYED BEFORE EACH**  
**MASS**



**St. Francis of Assisi**  
Religious  
**Education**  
**WEDNESDAY AT 6:00PM**  
**IN THE PARISH HALL.**

**KC**

KC Council 10555 will begin selling tickets for our Spring Gun Raffle in the next coming weeks, All proceeds benefit Scholarships and other charitable funds. The drawing will be held May 10, 2018. Thanks for all your support. You may purchase tickets from any KC member or the church office.

KC Council #10555 will be accepting Applications for the **Fred C. Ferrara Scholarship** until May 18, 2018. Any graduating Senior and a member of the St. Francis of Assisi Parish of Franklin or St. Mary's of Hearne may apply. Please see Harold Gassen (979) 229-3467 or Ron Zajac (979) 229-3687 or Joe Montelongo (979) 224-4770 for more information.

**Catholic Social Teaching Corner:**

Whom do we follow and to whose voice do we listen? This Sunday as we continue to unpack the meaning of our Baptism, we hear Jesus call himself the Good Shepherd whose sheep hear his voice and follow his lead. That way of Jesus is the way of love and unity. We are truly blessed to be loved so much and because we have been given so much, we must in turn live lives of generous love toward all. Are there some in our world we believe are undeserving of love or respect or generosity? Jesus gave his life for them, how shall we respond?

**Hospital volunteers needed:**

Has the Lord been tugging at your heart to volunteer -- to be a comfort to the stranger; a welcome to patient and families; and a joy to the staff? CHI St. Joseph Regional Health Center in Bryan-College Station is in need of Eucharistic Ministers and Care Partners in the Spiritual Care Department. If you feel God is calling you or you would like additional information, please go on-line to [www.chistjoseph.org](http://www.chistjoseph.org) and apply or contact Chaplain Mary Clare at (979) 776-4994 for an interview. Or if you are a person who would rather volunteer behind the scenes and love the computer, we would welcome help in the Spiritual Care Office.

**Meetup for Those Touched by Adoption**

All those who have ever made an adoption plan for a child, adopted a child or are in the process of adopting a child, are a foster parent, or those who were adopted are invited to come together and say what you need from the faith community to feel supported and encouraged in your adoption story. We will meet at 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 17 in Brennan Auditorium at St. Thomas More Catholic Church in northwest Austin and begin with praying a rosary together that features special meditations on the adoption journey, followed by light refreshments and time to get to know one another. Please RSVP at [www.adoptionmeetup2018.eventbrite.com](http://www.adoptionmeetup2018.eventbrite.com). For more information, contact [shap@teachmehealme.com](mailto:shap@teachmehealme.com) or (512) 736-7334.



The First Holy Communion Mass is Scheduled for next Sunday, April 29 at 9:30 AM We have 14 students receiving the sacrament of the Eucharist. Please keep them and their families in your prayers. The Parish Hall is reserved after next Sunday Mass for a small reception for the first communicants and their families.



**Campaign Goal:**  
**\$85,000,000**

**Parish Goal: \$140,000**  
**Total Raised: \$113,300**  
**Percentage Raised: 81%**  
**Average Gift: \$6,294**  
*Numbers are current as of 4/19/2018*

**LEADERSHIP WEEKEND:**  
*Bring your pledge to Mass: May 12 & 13*  
*All pilot parishes will be having their leadership weekend — let's be the parish with the most participation!*

**How you can Help!**

- Pray for the success of the campaign
- Answer the call to Volunteer

Contact Sandra Macias