

Week Day Mass Times

Thursday – Shamrock at 6.00p.m.

Sunday -- Shamrock at 8:30a.m.

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Parochial Administrator

Rev. Joji Reddy Konkala (Joe)

Liturgical Ministers

Sunday, AUGUST 25, 2019

Lectors

Dale Kidd

Vivian Jones

Intercessions: Hunter

Communion Ministers

Dale Kidd & Andy Eck

Altar Servers:

Jasmine Guadalupe & Vanessa

Sunday, SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

Lectors

Jezreel Sanchez

Cathy Danner

Intercessions: Anne Sanchez

Communion Ministers

Vincent & Edward Torres

Altar Servers:

Jasmine Torres & Vanessa



500 S. Main Street, Shamrock, TX 79079

Bishop of Rome: His Holiness Pope Francis
Bishop of Amarillo: The Most Rev. Patrick J. Zurek, STL, DD

CELEBRATION OF THE SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Sunday – 8:30a.m.

Saint Monica (Feast Day - August 27)

Monica's faithfulness was compensated and in one of the most moving fragments of the Augustine Confessions, the saint recounts how Monica clearly identified his vital mission by leading his children to life in the faith.

In Ostia, Monica told her in wonder: "Son, as far as I am concerned, nothing delights me in this life. What I do here, and why I am still here, I ignore it, because I do not expect anything from this world. One thing made me wish that my life would go on for some time: the desire to see you a Catholic Christian, before you die. God has granted it to me, since I see you become one of his servants, having renounced earthly happiness. What do I do already in this world?"

A few days later, Monica contracted a fever and told Agustín and her brother to bury her there, not to worry about her mortal remains and asked them only for one favor: "(...) Remember me at the altar of the Lord wherever go away." Santa Monica is the patron saint of people living difficult marriages, who have troubled children, and also patron of family conversions, especially one's

Children. She is the friend who comforts us from heaven and who understands well the despair of frustrated and confused parents when they see their children move away from the Church. Monica prayed and fasted for her children to know Jesus Christ, so she is the powerful company and intercessor of all those afflicted by the "ways" of their sons and daughters.

In the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, With the weight of my burden of love, I turn to you, dear Saint Monica, and I ask for your help and intercession. From your place in heaven, I implore you to pray before the Throne of the Blessed Sacrament for the sake of my son, [Name], who has deviated from faith and everything we try to teach him.

I know, dear Monica that our children do not belong to us, but to God, and that God often allows this drift as part of the journey to Him. Your son, Augustine, also went astray; He ended up finding faith and, from his faith, he became a true teacher.

So help me to be patient and to believe that all things - even this disappointing distancing of faith - ultimately work according to God's good purpose.



Sunday AUGUST 18, 2019

Shamrock Parish Collection \$846.00

2nd Collection \$95.00

Building Fund \$400.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- The Rosary will be prayed every Sunday before Mass. If you are interested in praying the Rosary, please do join @ 8:15 a.m. thank U.
- Please sign up to clean the Church and Parish Hall. Thank you!
- **FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION:** Registration for Faith Formation continues after mass today and next Sunday also.
- August 25th, today Sunday CCD Parents meeting soon after mass.
- We are going to start Bible study for Youth on Wednesdays, at 7:00 p.m begins September 18th, please register All youth for Wednesday Classes by September 1st, Sunday.
- **THE PASSION PLAY of OBERAMMERGAU and ALPINE EUROPE 11 days: June 15-25, 2020,** for more information contact: Fr. Tony Neusch 806-364-6150 / frneusch@gmail.com
- **FAITH FORMATION STARTS SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 8th** with mass, blessing of All Teachers and Children. Many of the catechists are answering God’s invitation to share their faith again this year. We are still in need of catechists for this year. Please take a moment to pray and see if God is inviting you to share your faith with others in this ministry.
- We are going to begin children’s collection from next week, fr joe will stand at the front of the altar with basket, All children come to the altar to offer their collection.
- 22nd Annual Respect Lift Banquet on Sunday September 15th, Amarillo Civic Center Grand Plaza, Tim Staples, Director of Apologetics and Evangelization for Catholic Answers will be the keynote speaker.
- Por favor registrese para limpiar la Iglesia y el salon. Gracias
- El Rosario se rezará todos los domingos antes de la misa. Si está interesado en rezar el Rosario, únase a las 8:15 a.m. gracias.
- 25 de agosto, hoy domingo CCD Reunión de padres poco después de la misa.
- Sin chicles en la iglesia, los padres deben tener en cuenta que la iglesia es el lugar sagrado para la adoración.
- Teléfonos celulares: Pedimos que por favor apaguen o cambien la señal de sus teléfonos celulares durante la Misa para no interrumpir los ritos durante la misa.
- La inscripción para la formación de fe continúa después Misa hoy y el próximo domingo también.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Karen Berry, BalaswamyKonkala, Philip Kidd, Roy Kidd, Jonathon Soto, Leonarda Sosa, Edi Williams, Ray Hightower, Bertha Soto, Chad kane, Dr. Manuel Juson, Jessica Murphy, Josie Ramos, Jessie Ramos, Larry Garrison, Mike O’Gorman, Betty and Dub Stanley, Frances Hernandez, James Moran, Gina Seitz, Ben Kupis, Elberto Solis Jr., Tracy Russell, Damiana and Aladdin, Deborah Kendal, Isaac Strack, Rueben Villareal, Sylvia Meisenheimer, Shannon Brown. Good rains.

FOR DECEASED

†Jay Slaton†JoyceEck,†Alvin Danner
†JohnPatrickSconlon,†Msgr. Cal Stalter,†Trinidad Cantu, †Harry Garrison, †Garry Keith smith, †Charlotte Rhea Ryan†JoeRickwartz †Herman Neal † Tom Eck † Dan Luna †Mary Groves †Nancy Castillo †Rowan Griffin †Dave Britt, †Bishop John Yanta†Edgar Lopez, †Nancy Castillo, †Salvador Olivarez, †Allen J. Peters, †Ursula Peters,†Amador Olivarez, †Clare Wood, †Chester Joseph Webber, †Jerry Koelzer, †Roberto GranadozSr, Genoveva Granados , Souls in Purgatory.

Happy Birthday



Mass Intentions

August 25, † Jose Mendez Montez R.I.P- Mass offered by Linda & Jim. (1st Anniversary)

*If you would like to offer a holy mass for someone, please call to the parish office. Thanks

DO YOU HAVE GOOD NEWS? If you have good news to share, please call either church office or send information to: saintpatricksrock14@yahoo.com

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‘ESFUERCENSE EN ENTRAR POR LA PUERTA, QUE ES ANGOSTA’ Ante la pregunta sobre si son pocos los que se salvan, Jesús solo contesto: Esfuércense en entrar por la puerta, que es angosta... Indudablemente, es voluntad de Dios que todos nos salvemos y conozcamos la verdad, pero antes será necesario que recorramos el mismo camino de Jesús, nuestro único Maestro, El es nuestro ejemplo a seguir. Debemos conservar la fe que hemos recibido, a pesar de todo lo que se pueda oponer a ella. Dejemos que Dios obre su salvación. A nosotros nos toca esforzarnos en entrar por esa puerta, que es angosta.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Tue-Fri. 9 a.m. – 5p.m. Closed for Lunch 12-1
Parish Secretary: Cathy Danner,
Bookkeeper: Maria Neal
Director of Religious Education: Vincent Koelzer

- 2019 Seniors: If you are a graduating Senior this year, please call the parish office to let us know. Every year the West Texas Catholic newspaper publishes a special edition featuring all the graduating seniors, but they need your help!! Please inform Mr. Vincent Koelzer as soon as possible. Deadline for submission of names is March 4th. 2019

Finance Council President: Monica Kidd
Parish Council President: Dale Kidd
Parish Maintenance: Raymond Phyliss
Youth Minister: Vincent Koelzer
Music Director: Anne Sanchez

Anointing of the Sickcontact office
Marriage: Please notify the office six months in advance. No date will be confirmed until the couple has met with the priests.

Baptism: Parents and Godparents are required to attend a Baptismal class. In Spanish call the parish office to register. English Class call Fr JoeRCIA (Adults) is open to non Catholics who wish to learn more about the Catholic Faith,

and Catholics who have not celebrated the sacraments. (Children) is offered during the school year. Contact Fr Joe. at 806 216 0741. We Celebrate the Eucharist Weekday: Monday 6:00 p.m. Wednesday (Wellington) 6:00 p.m.; Thursday 6:00 p.m.; Friday 6:00 p.m. Weekend: Saturday Vigil at 5:30 p.m. Sunday Masses at Shamrock 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 p.m.(Wellington) in bilingual

EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION & ADORATION
First Fridays from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

STILL NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR THE FOLLOWING MINISTRIES: There is a need for Sunday service ministers Like Eucharistic ministers, altar Server, Lectors and Singing at our church, if you feel called to this important ministry please inform your faith formation teachers

- Please remember that adults who have already received the Eucharist do not receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at the Easter Vigil, instead, they come to the Adult Confirmation Celebration April 27, 2019, when Bishop Zurek confers the Sacrament of Confirmation for adults in the diocese

- **Engaged Encounter:** Couples in the Diocese of Amarillo planning to get married within the next three to six months are encouraged to attend the first Engaged Encounter weekend for 2019, on Saturday, Feb. 16 and Sunday, Feb. 17 at the Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center, 2100 North Spring. For further information contact fr. Joe 806 323 6608

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1st Native-born US martyr to have shrine in Oklahoma

Blessed Stanley Rother, the first native-born US martyr, will be honored with a shrine in his native Oklahoma. Groundbreaking for the Oklahoma City facility will be November 3.

“The groundbreaking for the shrine will be a significant moment in the life of the Church in Oklahoma and for the broader community,” said Archbishop Paul Coakley of Oklahoma City. “The shrine is being built to honor Blessed

Stanley Rother, an Oklahoma original and the first U.S.-born priest and martyr ever beatified. It will be a place of pilgrimage where the faithful will come from near and far to honor Blessed Stanley at his final resting place and to seek his intercession for their many needs. It will be a place of welcome, serving all people. Described as an “ordinary” priest, Stanley Rother was officially recognized in 2017 as the first martyr of the Catholic Church born in the United States. His beatification drew a crowd of 15,000 in Oklahoma City.

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- and now many will be celebrating his feast day on July 28 each year.
- According to Maria Ruiz Scaperlanda, his biographer, “He was a farmer from Okarche, Oklahoma, who served the Church as a devoted priest both here and in the Oklahoma mission in Santiago Atitlán — where he literally farmed the Guatemalan fields side by side with his parishioners.” His name was eventually put on a “death list” in Guatemala for his missionary activities, and he was gunned down by militants at the age of 46. The shrine will include a 2,000-seat church, a chapel where Blessed Stanley will be buried, an education building, an event space and several areas designated for shrines and devotion. The site will be developed over time.
- Along with the Spanish colonial-style church – which will be the largest Catholic Church in Oklahoma – an additional element will be a museum and pilgrim center. The center will welcome thousands of visitors each year to an experience that leads them through the life, witness, and martyrdom of Blessed Stanley. The church will host many large diocesan events and will help accommodate the growing Hispanic population, which has left various area parishes significantly overcrowded.