

**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, OCTOBER 27, 2019**

**Lectors**

Dale Kidd

Vivian Jones

Intercessions: Edward Torres

Communion Ministers

Vincent & Amy Koelzer

Altar Servers:

Gabriela & Vanessa

**Sunday, NOV 3, 2019**

**Lectors**

Chester Jones

Maria Neal

Intercessions: Hunter

Communion Ministers

Dale Kidd & Andy Eck

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.**

**The Month of November:** By tradition, the Catholic Church dedicates each month of the year to certain devotion. In November, it is the Holy Souls in Purgatory, those faithful Christians who have died and gone before us but who still must atone for their sins. The time they spend in Purgatory cleanses them so that they may enter Heaven free from all effects of sin. Praying for the dead, especially for those we have known, is a requirement of Christian charity. Our own prayers and sacrifices can be offered up to relieve their suffering. The following prayer can be incorporated into our daily prayers during this Month. “Eternal rest grants unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

**Month of Remembrance:** It is during November that the Church meditates on the Communion of Saints, which is the charitable link with the faithful who have already reached heaven, the faithful departed who are still expiating their sins in Purgatory, and of the pilgrim faithful here on earth. On November 1st the Church celebrates the Solemnity of a All Saints, a Holy

Day, honoring all those faithful in heaven. Throughout November the Church also remembers our faithful Departed. The need and duty of prayer for the departed souls has been acknowledged by the Church at all times. It is recommended in the Scriptures of the Old Testament: “it is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from sins” (2Mc 12:46). This duty has found expression not only in public and private prayers but especially in the offering of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for the repose of souls.

**Book of Remembrance:** November is traditionally a time for praying, remembering and lighting a candle for the souls of all of our dear departed family members, parishioners, friends and those who have nobody to pray for them. We give thanks for them and recall how each one brought a touch of God’s light into the world. We remember their loving deeds and rejoice in their faithfulness, let us renew our desire to live lives that reflect God’s love. During the Month of November, our church remembers our deceased loved ones. You record in this book the names of your loved ones and friends, who have passed away, in our book of Remembrance.



**Sunday OCTOBER 20, 2019**

**Shamrock Parish Collection \$535.00**

**Children’s Collection \$6.00 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection \$107.00**

**Building Fund \$400.00**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- ❖ Every Sunday Rosary @ 8:15 & Mass at 8:30 am
- ❖ **October 27, Sunday:** Safe environment training for all Catechists, Children & Youth After mass.
- ❖ Mass on **All Saints Day**, October 31<sup>st</sup> at 7:00pm.
- ❖ October 31, Thursday - Last day of the month , Let us come together and join us in saying Rosary Specially for all our families at 6:30 pm followed by mass.
- ❖ The Diocese of Amarillo requires two years of preparation for the Sacrament of First Eucharist. Therefore any child 7 years, or older planning to celebrate First Eucharist needs to attend Sunday Faith Formation Classes at (10:00-11:00) here at our Church.
- ❖ All Souls Day envelopes are at the entrances of the Church. Please place the names of your Deceased family members on the envelope and place in the collection basket by Nov 1, Thanks! Fr. Joe will offer masses on November 3, during Sunday mass.
- ❖ **MASS INTENTION: Why do Catholics offer Masses for the dead?** When we die in God's friendship we eventually go to Heaven, but if we haven't properly atoned for certain sins we have to be purified in Purgatory first. We pray for the souls in Purgatory first. We pray for the souls in Purgatory to help them pass through faster than they would otherwise. Please call the parish office or come by for your Mass Intention requests.

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- ❖ La Diócesis de Amarillo requiere dos años de preparación para el Sacramento de la Primera Eucaristía. Por lo tanto, cualquier niño de 7 años o más que planea celebrar la Primera Eucaristía debe asistir a las clases dominicales de formación de fe al (10:00-11:00) aquí en nuestra Iglesia.

- ❖ 27 de octubre, domingo: Capacitación en ambientes seguros para todos los catequistas, niños y jóvenes después de la misa.

**INTENCION MISA:**

- ❖ **¿Porqué los católicos Ofrecen misas por los muertos?** Cuando morimos en la amistad de Dios, eventualmente vamos al Cielo, pero si no lo hemos hecho correctamente expiados por ciertos pecados, ostenemos que ser purificados en el purgatorio primero. Oramos por las almas en El purgatorio

**PRAY FOR OUR SICK**

Karen Berry, Balaswamy Konkala, Philip Kidd, Jonathon Soto, Leonarda Sosa, Edi Williams, Ray Hightower, Bertha Soto, Chad Dr. Manuel Juson, Jessica Murphy, Josie Ramos, Jessie Ramos, L Garrison, Mike O'Gorman, Betty and Dub Stanley, Frances Hern James Moran, Gina Seitz, Ben Kupis, Elberto Solis Jr., Tracy Rus Damiana and Aladdin, Deborah Kendal, Isaac Strack, Rueben Vil Sylvia Meisenheimer, Shannon Brown. Good rains.

**FOR DECEASED**

†Roy Kidd, †Jerry Ferril, †Jay Slaton, †Joyce Eck, †Alvin Danner, †John Patrick Sconlon, †Msgr. Cal Stalter, †Trinidad Cantu, †Har Garrison, †Garry Keith Smith, †Charlotte Rhea Ryan, †Joe Rickw, †Herman Neal, †Tom Eck, †Dan Luna, †Mary Groves, †Nancy Castillo, †Rowan Griffin, †Dave Britt, †Bishop John Yanta, †Edg Lopez, †Nancy Castillo, †Salvador Olivarez, †Allen J. Peters, †Ursula Peters, †Amador Olivarez, †Clare Wood, †Chester Jose Webber, †Jerry Koelzer, †Roberto Granadoz Sr, Genoveva Granadoz. Souls in Purgatory.

*Happy Birthday*

Cristian Mercado- 10-28-2002

Arcenio Mendoza- 10-28-82

**Marriage Anniversary**

Raymond Schlegel & Phyllis- marriage 10-31-1984



*Mass Intentions*

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

DO YOU HAVE GOOD NEWS? If you have good news to share please call either church office or send information to:

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**El mes de noviembre:** por tradición, la Iglesia Católica dedica cada del año a cierta devoción. En noviembre, son las Almas Santas en el Purgatorio, esos cristianos fieles que murieron y se fueron antes que nosotros, pero que aún deben expiarse. El tiempo que pasa en el Purgatorio los limpia para que puedan entrar al Cielo libres de todos los efectos del pecado. Orar por los muertos, especialmente por aquellos que hemos conocido, es un requisito de caridad cristiana. Nuestras propias oraciones y sacrificios se pueden ofrecer para aliviar su sufrimiento. La siguiente oración se puede incorporar a nuestras oraciones diarias durante este mes. "Eterno descanso les concedes, oh Señor, y deja que la luz perpetua brille sobre ellos. Que las almas de los fieles difuntos, por la misericordia de Dios, descansen en paz. Amén.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Tue-Fri. 9 a.m. -

- 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

5p.m. Closed for Lunch 12-1

Parish Secretary: Cathy Danner,

Bookkeeper: Maria Neal

Director of Religious Education: Vincent Koelzer

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 Sick** ....contact 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

- **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 sign up on the sheet at the back, we will train all those ministries later.  
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, 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.

□ 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

**Mes de la Memoria:** Es durante noviembre que la Iglesia medita sobre la Comunión de los Santos, que es el vínculo caritativo con los fieles que ya han llegado al cielo, los fieles difuntos que todavía están expiando sus pecados, en el purgatorio y de los fieles peregrinos

aquí en la tierra. El 1 de noviembre, la Iglesia celebra la solemnidad de Todos los Santos, un Día Santo, en honor a todos los fieles en el cielo. A lo largo de noviembre, la Iglesia también recuerda a nuestros fieles difuntos. La necesidad y el deber de la oración por las almas difuntas ha sido reconocida por la Iglesia en todo momento. Se recomienda en las Escrituras del Antiguo Testamento: "por lo tanto, es un pensamiento santo y saludable orar por los muertos, para que puedan ser liberados de los pecados" (2 Mc 12, 46). Este deber ha encontrado expresión no solo en las oraciones públicas y privadas, sino especialmente en la ofrenda del Santo Sacrificio de la Misa por el descanso de las almas.

Libro de Recuerdos:  
noviembre es tradicionalmente un tiempo para rezar, recordar y encender una vela por las almas de todos nuestros queridos familiares, feligreses, amigos y aquellos que no tienen nadie para rezar por ellos. Les agradecemos y recordamos cómo cada uno traiga un toque de la luz de Dios al mundo