



**SACRED HEART  
CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Seymour, Texas

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**ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION  
CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Megargel, Texas

**SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS: NOVEMBER 01, 2020**

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**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: (In the Old Chapel Room behind screen with Mask worn!)  
After each daily noon Mass; Wednesday's 6:30 -7:30 p.m.; Saturday 5 – 5:45 p.m. or by appointment**

**PARISH LITURGY SCHEDULE:**

**MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK (November 02 - 08)**

Monday: 12:10 PM: For All Souls in Purgatory (All Souls' Day)  
Tuesday: **NO SERVICE**  
Wednesday: 6:00 PM: Healing Intentions for Sherry Hons by Terry & Belinda Bench  
Thursday: 12:10 PM: +Lillie Mae Novak by Billie Ann McMorris  
Friday: 12:10 PM: +Richard Mathews by Marilyn McGough  
Saturday: 7:10 AM: Special Intentions for the John & Linda Webb Family by Tommy & Donna Carver  
6:00 PM: Special Birthday Intentions for Theresa Bruggeman by Jason & Tammie Glass & Family  
Sunday: 8:00 AM: Special Intentions for all our Children & Grandchildren by Andy & Janice Lane (St. Mary)  
10:00 AM: +Joe & Angeline Hajek by Carol Vacker

**PRAYER AND BIBLE STUDY FOR THE WEEKDAY MASSES: (November 02 - 07)**

Mon.: Wisdom 3:1-9	Romans 6:3-9	John 11:17-27
Tues.: Philippians 2:5-11		Luke 14:15-24
Wed.: Philippians 2:12-18		Luke 14:25-33
Thurs.: Philippians 3:3-8a		Luke 15:1-10
Fri.: Philippians 3:17—4:1		Luke 16:1-8
Sat.: Philippians 4:10-19		Luke 16:9-15

**THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: (November 08)**

Please prepare for worship by prayerfully reading the Scriptures for next weekend Masses:

First Reading: Wisdom 6:12-16  
Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18  
Holy Gospel: Matthew 25:1-13

**We will be live streaming all Masses at Sacred Heart. KSEY will broadcast Saturday's 6 p.m. Mass**

**At all Masses you MUST wear face mask/covering and practice safe distancing**

**Sunday, November 01: (Holy Day of Obligation) (Daylight Savings Time Ends -"Fall back 1 hour") (Start of OWD Fund Raiser)**

8:00 AM, St. Mary of the Assumption/Mass  
9:40 AM, Sacred Heart/Holy Rosary followed by Mass  
All Weekend Liturgies: All Saints' Day  
All Weekend Liturgies: Presider for Mass – Fr. Bose  
5:00 PM, St. Mary Cemetery/Blessings of Graves in Megargel

**Monday, November 2: The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)**

12:10 PM, Sacred Heart/Mass for All Souls' Day followed by Blessings of Graves in Seymour Catholic Cemetery  
5:15 PM, Bomarton Cemetery/Blessing of Graves

**Wednesday, November 04: Faith Formation – PreK-6<sup>th</sup> Lesson plans pickup/7<sup>th</sup>- 12<sup>th</sup> Youth Discipleship meeting**

6:00 PM, Sacred Heart/Youth Mass/Adoration with Benediction at 7:30 p.m.

**Thursday and Friday:**

12:10 PM, Sacred Heart/Daily Masses

**Saturday, November 07:**

7:10 AM, Sacred Heart/Blessed Virgin Mary Mass/Holy hour Adoration with Benediction till 12 noon  
5:45 PM, Sacred Heart/Holy Rosary followed by 6 PM Vigil Mass

**Sunday, November 08: - (Seminar Education Collection: Rescheduled from May 2-3 due to Pandemic)**

8:00 AM, St. Mary of the Assumption/Mass  
9:40 AM, Sacred Heart/Holy Rosary followed by Mass

All Weekend Liturgies: Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

All Weekend Liturgies: Presider for Mass – Fr. Bose

**Please signup for Flock Notes and also follow us on our Facebook or our website: <https://sacredheartseymour.org/>**

For bulletins: go online to <https://sacredheartseymour.org/bulletins>. All past and present bulletins are posted.

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**SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS: MATTHEW 5:1-12a**

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he had sat down, his disciples came to him. He began to teach them, saying:

“Blessed are the poor in spirit,  
for theirs is the Kingdom of heaven.  
Blessed are they who mourn,  
for they will be comforted.  
Blessed are the meek,  
for they will inherit the land.  
Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness,  
for they will be satisfied.  
Blessed are the merciful,  
for they will be shown mercy.  
Blessed are the clean of heart,  
for they will see God.  
Blessed are the peacemakers,  
for they will be called children of God.  
Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness,  
for theirs is the Kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me.

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.”

**ADULTS:** What difference does the gift of salvation make in your life?

**CHILDREN:** How can you show your gratitude for the gift of salvation?

**All Souls’ Day – November 2<sup>nd</sup> :**



**PRAYER FOR THE DEPARTED** -Eternal rest, grant 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.

**FOR ALL THE DECEASED** - By Thy resurrection from the dead, O Christ, death no longer hath dominion over those who die in holiness. So, we beseech Thee, give rest to Thy servants in Thy sanctuary and in Abraham's bosom. Grant it to those, who from Adam until now have adored Thee with purity, to our fathers and brothers, to our kinsmen and friends, to all men who have lived by faith and passed on their road to Thee, by a thousand ways, and in all conditions, and make them worthy of the heavenly kingdom.

**FOR THE SOULS IN PURGATORY** - O Lord, who art ever merciful and bounteous with Thy gifts, look down upon the suffering souls in purgatory. Remember not their offenses and negligences, but be mindful of Thy loving mercy, which is from all eternity. Cleanse them of their sins and fulfill their ardent desires that they may be made worthy to behold Thee face to face in Thy glory. May they soon be united with Thee and hear those blessed words which will call them to their heavenly home: "Come, blessed of My Father, take possession of the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world."

**Annual Diocesan Appeal “The Reason for Our Hope.”**

Thanks to you our **Sacred Heart Parish has pledged \$10,940** from **32** families and our **St. Mary Parish has pledged \$1,298** from **6** families. We are striving for 100 percent participation. Please complete and return the commitment form that was mailed to you or pick up a commitment envelope in the back of the church or donate online at: <https://www.advancementfoundation.org/annual-diocesan-appeal-donation>. We count on every family to help our parishes meet its goal. Diocesan Appeal provides funds to ministries and programs in these categories:

- ❖ **Gratitude and Support for the Clergy**
- ❖ Outreach to Rural and Needy Parishes and Schools
- ❖ Hope and Healing for the Poor
- ❖ Love and Strengthening for Families
- ❖ Faith and Formation for Future Generations
- ❖ Stewardship Education and Development Support for Parishes

**Goals for our Parishes are:**

Sacred Heart – Seymour - \$18,000.00 St. Mary of the Assumption – Megargel - \$3,500.00

**MADNESS:** It surely was a wise man who wrote: “we are all born mad. We will only achieve sanity when we attain sanctity.” The Saints are mad; madly in love with God and with people. This is madness that cannot be comprehended by the logic of the mind but only by the logic of the heart for “the heart has reasons of which the mind does not know.” The path of madness they trod is the eightfold path of blessedness chalked out in the beatitudes (Mathew 5: 1-12). It is not an easy path. One has to trek like going up a mountain-at times two steps ahead and one step behind. But it is a very rewarding path for in the end we find nothing except God. In him we find everything. You cannot Be Half a Saint. ....you must Be a Whole Saint. ....Or Not Saint at all!!  
**HAPPY ALL SAINTS DAY**

### **A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT!**

**Solemnity of all Saints-** During the year the Church celebrates one by one the feasts of the saints. Today she joins them all in one festival, one celebration. In addition to those whose names she knows, she recalls in a magnificent vision all the others "of all nations and tribes standing before the throne and in sight of the Lamb, clothed with white robes, and palms in their hands, proclaiming Him who redeemed them in His Blood." The feast of All Saints should inspire us with tremendous hope. Among the saints in heaven are some whom we have known. All lived on earth lives like our own. They were baptized, marked with the sign of faith, they were faithful to Christ's teaching and they have gone before us to the heavenly home whence they call on us to follow them. The Gospel of the Beatitudes, read today, while it shows their happiness, shows, too, the road that they followed; there is no other that will lead us whither they have gone.

### **BLESSINGS OF THE GRAVES SCHEDULES:**

Megargel Cemetery – November 1st at 5 PM  
Seymour Cemetery – November 2nd after 12:10 PM Mass  
Bomarton Cemetery - November 2nd at 5:15 PM

### **ALL SOULS' DAY – Not a Holy Day of Obligation**

**Mass – Monday, November 2nd - Sacred Heart @ 12:10 AM**

### **PRAYER RALLY FOR OUR NATION!**

There will be a prayer rally for our nation and the election this Sunday, November 1, outdoors at the courthouse flagpole. This is being offered by concerned citizens and the Seymour Ministerial Alliance Church ministers. All are welcome to come with face coverings and social distancing.

### **BAPTIZED INTO THE LIFE OF CHRIST**

Let us pray for Joseph and Robert Lane who became co-heirs with Christ and members of his Church through the celebration of baptism on Saturday, October 24, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. May God bless them, their parents and godparents as they grow into the fullness of the Christian life!

**FAITH FORMATION:** Keeping Children Safe instruction will be conducted for our CCD classes during November.

**STEWARDSHIP:** During these difficult times, please prayerfully consider still using your contribution envelopes if you are able by: **adding to collection basket, by mail or drop in our Drop box in front of the office.** “Of everything you give me, I will faithfully return a tenth part to you” (Genesis 28:22). Thank you to those who are contributing to our Church during this pandemic. **Please continue doing the best you can!**

## **OUR PARISH STEWARDSHIP: October 25, 2020**

### **SACRED HEART:**

Amount in Checks/Envelopes & Loose:	\$ 3,117.00	
Youth: \$ 0	Special: \$ 25.00	Holy Day: \$ 0
<b>TOTAL: \$ 3,142.00</b>		

Envelope Use: 40 Regular; 0 Youth; 1 Special; 0 Holy Day

### **ST. MARY:**

Amount in Checks/Envelopes & Loose:	\$ 265.00	
Youth: \$ 0	Holy Day: \$ 0	Special: \$ 10.00
<b>TOTAL: \$ 275.00</b>		

Envelope Use: 7 Regular; 0 Youth; 1 Special; 0 Holy Day

**Attendance: Sacred Heart – Sat 47 Sun 73 St. Mary – Sat 32**

### **SEVEN DAY LIGHTS:**

***SPECIAL INTENTIONS:*** For Arvin & Rosalie Peters Family, For Alvin Jungman & Family by Shannon & Barbie Donnell Family, For the Henry & Lillie Mae Novak Family, For the George & Margaret Holub Family, For the Jim Knezek Family.

***FOR FAMILY & FRIENDS BY:*** Kay Flippin, Terry & Belinda Bench, Ricky & Charlotte Wright, Marilyn McGough, Tommy & Donna Carver. **If you would like to contribute to the Seven Day Lights, the cost is \$1 per week. Thank You.**

### **OFFICE HOURS & BULLETIN NOTICES:**

Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 10am –3pm. All bulletin notices must be in by **12 noon on Wednesday!**

**MASSES ON CATHOLIC MEDIA:** When viewing a Mass on any media, please recite the prayer “An Act of Spiritual Communion” when you if present would be receiving Holy Communion. To view our Live Stream Masses, Log on to our website <https://sacredheartseymour.org/> & scroll down to the box titled Find us on Facebook or log on to **your** facebook page and find us there.

### **AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

### **OWD (make-up) FUNDRAISER!!!**

Since the cancellation of our planned annual Olde World Dinner for November due to Covid-19 concerns and safety issues, Sacred Heart will be experiencing a budget shortfall in revenue for 2020. The net income is usually around \$15,000. The councils concurred to try a donation drive from November through December by families with emphasis on our November 1<sup>st</sup> weekend as a special collection. Use an envelope marked OWD or the basket found in the foyer so marked. Please prayerfully consider what you can give to support this shortfall. We have about 150 families active so consider this like the “no bake ... bake sale” we have done in the past for the Altar Society and do your best! God bless! Deacon Jim

### **Contact Information for Seminarian Trent Barton:**

You can mail him at: PO Box 404, St Benedict LA 70457 or email him at: [Trent.barton@fwdioc.org](mailto:Trent.barton@fwdioc.org). Please continue to keep him in your daily prayers.

### **PRAY FOR VOCATIONS: LAY LEADERS, PRIESTS, DEACONS AND RELIGIOUS LIFE**

## NOVEMBER 2020 MINISTERS LIST

### EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS—Sandy Lane

To be announced later

### HOMEBOUND MINISTERS—3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAYS

To be announced later

### MONEY COUNTERS—Dcn Jim Novak

Terry Bench, Marilyn McGough and Cathy Hostas

### LECTORS—Janice Vita Thornhill

**Saturday**

Tammie Glass

**Sunday**

Janice Knezek

### USHERS—Terry Bench

**Saturday**

Tommy Holub

Johnny Holub

Josh Holub

Paul Holub

**Sunday**

James Knezek

Greg Knezek

Patrick Knezek

David Birkenfeld

### FLOWERS—Donna Carver

07-08— Marty Slaggle & Kara Loftin

14-15— Christeena Moore & Stephanie Sosolik

21-22— Trina Hostas & Janice Thornhill

28-Dec 24— Advent

### ALTAR SERVERS—Cathy Hostas

To be announced later

### National Vocations Awareness Week - Seminarian Education Fund /November 7-8, 2020 - (Rescheduled from May 2-3 due to Pandemic):

National Vocation Awareness Week, celebrated November 1-7, 2020, is an annual week-long observance of the Catholic Church in the United States. It is dedicated to foster vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are discerning one of these vocations.

The Diocese of Fort Worth is blessed to have 32 seminarians in various stages of the thorough discernment and formation journey. The Diocese is committed to paying for all of the costs associated with their formation and education so that these men can commit to prayer and formation during their time in seminary, a period which can be between seven and nine years and cost \$50,000 annually.

To conclude National Vocations Week, all parishes in the Diocese will take up a special collection on November 7-8, 2020 for the Diocesan Seminarian Education Fund. Please respond generously through your parish or donate online by entering <https://fwdioc.org/special-collections-donate> in your web browser.

Funds raised during the *Seminarian Special Collection* remain in the Diocese of Fort Worth and are used for our seminarians. Additionally, a portion of the collection in parishes pastored by religious order priests is sent to support formation programs of their religious orders.

Please prayerfully consider your gift to the *Seminarian Special Collection*. Even more so, please include these men in your prayers and encourage other young people to consider the reality that Christ is calling them to follow Him as a priest, deacon or consecrated religious. Just as our seminarians have responded to God's call to discernment, we too can respond in prayer and generosity.



### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Whenever you are ill or have been hospitalized, please call for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick immediately.

**Faith Formation for Youth and Adults:** We have a subscription to Formed: A technology platform for the delivery of award-winning Catholic content, children's programming, audio talks, e-books and more. Registering for FORMED:

1. Go to <https://formed.org/signup>
2. Select your parish (Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Seymour, Tx.)
3. Register with your name and email address
4. Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

*"Just because something happens to be legal does not make it moral, ethical or right. Abortion is perhaps one of the most dramatic examples of a situation where something is legal, but is very much a sin against God."*

- A.L. Barry, The Lutheran Church, President of The Missouri Synod

### Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship: A Call to Political Responsibility From the Catholic Bishops of the United States:

The Catholic Bishops of the United States and Bishop Michael Olson remind the faithful of their civic and moral responsibility to participate in the upcoming national, state and local elections. To assist individual Catholics in deciding for whom to vote, the Catholic bishops since 1976 have offered a guide to assist in making decision about for whom to cast their ballot: Please go to *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship* <https://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/faithful-citizenship/forming-consciences-for-faithful-citizenship-part-one> to assist you in making your political choices.

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Rick Kieschnick, Briley Hostas, Melvin Kuhler, Cindy Cuba Boone, Yvonne Boone, Carolyn Bertschy, Bessie Casillas, Joe Saitta, Jr., Donna Hampton, Cathy McElroy, Cora Shelton, Mary Myers, Olivia Wright, Keaton Hehl, Stella Glass, Bernie Thomas, Josiah Decker, Sheila Helton, Ofelia Garcia, Ronald Wright, Johnny Joe Pechacek, Kent Bickly, Michael Rodriguez, Rhea Allison, Bryker Fontenot, Jeff Gregg, Alvin Jungman, Adaline Urbanczyk, Nick Garcia, Kayley Lowder, Rosalie Peters, Ralph Veitenheimer, Glenda Hertel, Cheryl Hopkins, Cathi Patterson, Cynthia Tatlock, Genevieve Hrcirik, Hailey Glass, Debbie Turner, Dana Riddles, Teagan Matthews, Bob Walker, Christina Lambert, Hannah Green, Jim Cuba, Henrietta Styles, Sandra Moorhouse, Sharon Wright, Arleen Kuhler, Abigail Novak, Braxton Pierce, John McCandless, Kayla McLarty, Andrew Amador, Nicole Glass, Billie McGough, Brian Allen, Gary Lowe, Jason Gilley, Raymond & Margie Psencik, Theresa Bruggeman, Andrea Sanchez, Ellen Schaefer Bruggeman, Machele Hass, Melvin Motl, Jeanie Evans, John Helton, Charlene Gajdos, Madison Kulhanek, Bart & Margarita Martinez, Randy Coltharp, Geraldine Kuhler, Emma Allbritton, Donovan Muharib, Steve Eddleman, Blaise Decker, Sherry Hons, Kellan Myers, Jackie Anders, Braxton Sturgeon, Royce Miller, Ashlyn Stone, Rosario & Felipe Cruz, Fr. Bose's Family in India, Frank Garcia, Jr., & Steve Sullwold.

**SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN:** Skylar Holman, Ryan Holman, John George, Kyle Matus, Andrew Gelb, Jeffrey Copeland, Ricky Smith, Tai Bandy, Brody Jones, James Crawford, Sam Atwood, Josh Wright, Chance Freeman, Wayne Howard, Korey Bailes, Derek Harvey, Mitchell Lee, Zachary Hamilton. *Please call the office to update the prayer list for those to be added or removed.*

# **Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction – First Saturday**

**November 07, 2020**

Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction is offered on the first Saturday of the month at 7:30 AM after the 7:10 AM Holy Mass and concludes with Benediction with the Blessed Sacrament at 12 PM in which the priest or deacon blesses the faithful with the Sacred Host. As Catholics, we believe that Christ is truly and substantially present, body and blood, soul and divinity, in the Blessed Sacrament. Join us on the first Saturday of the month! Sacred Heart, Seymour.



**Do You Really Love Me?**

**Then**

**Come To Me**

**Visit Me**

**Where?** Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Seymour

**When?** First Saturday of the month after the 7:10 am Holy Mass until 12:00 pm

**There is a sign-up Book in the Foyer of the Church**

**“Jesus Waits for Us in This Sacrament of Love”** *mysterium fidei*