

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF ST. MARY AND GOOD SHEPHERD

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Horas De Oficina

Tuesday-Thursday 9:00am-6:00pm

Friday 9:00am-2:00pm

Cyndi in office Tues & Friday

10-2pm & by appointments.

Patty in office Tues-Fri 9-2

Carol in office Tues-Thurs 2-6

Confessions: Saturday 4:00-4:40pm Tues-

Fri before daily Mass 7:30-7:45am

Confessions: in GS Lometa

Sunday 7:30-7:55am

Kitchen Hours/ *Horas de Cocina:*

Tues- Fri 6:00-11:00am

Food Pantry/*Dispensa de Comida:*

Wed & Fri 9:30-11:30am

Shared Blessing:

Wed & Fri 9:30am-2:00pm

Baptismal Class

Call the office for date.

Clase de Bautismo

Llamar la oficina para la fecha.

Adoration: Every Wednesday after 8:00am

Mass to 5:00pm and Thursday for one hour

after the 6pm Spanish Mass.

Adoración: Todos los miércoles después de

la Misa de 8:00am hasta las 5:00pm. Y los

jueves después de la misa de las 6:30pm

For Those Who Have Died

Reynaldo De La Cruz, Luis Torres,

Espirion Moreno, Robert Maldonado,

Mike Medina, Mario Gill Josephine Valadez,

Nick Hull, Mike Valles, Edna Deanda, William

Clayton, Joe Wittenburg, Bobby Dyer,

Helen Kiley, José Torres, Adela Garrison,

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday/Lunes, August 5

8:00am: Communion Service

Tuesday/Martes, August 6

8:00am: † Raul Olivarez Jr.

Wednesday/Miércoles, August 7

8:00am: † Rev. Emilian Foltyn

6:00pm: (GS) Ana Davis Birthday

Thursday/Jueves, August 8

6:00pm: † Margarite & Mike Medina

Friday/Viernes, August 9

8:00am: † Edna Deanda

Saturday/Sábado, August 10

5:30pm: † Robert E. Maldonado

Sunday/Domingo, August 11

8:00am: (GS) Klepac Family

10:00am: † Ed Dimas

12:15pm: † Reynaldo De La Cruz

Sacrificial Giving: July 27/28

1st Collection: \$2595.50

Children's Collection: \$25.00

Counters: August 6

Mary Cisneros

Libby Hidalgo

LECTORS August 3/4

Sat 5:30pm: Wanda Bunting

Sun 10:00am: Tony &

Clara Gamez

Dom 12:15pm: Martha Munoz

Elia Mondragon

August 10/11

Sat 5:30pm: TEEN MASS

Sun 10:00am: KOC

Dom 12:15pm: Eugenia y

Kelly Ruperto

EMHC August 3/4

Sun 5:30pm: Mary Cisneros

Carmen Coonrod

Sun 10:00am: Donna Coughron

Jan Millsap

Dom 12:15pm: Eduardo y

Rosa Arevalo

Bernarda Abreu

August 10/11

Sat 5:30pm: Mary Cisneros

Carmen Coonrod

Sun 10:00am: KOC

Dom 12:15pm: Bernarda Abreu

y Sustituos

Those Who Serve Our Country

Jarren Morua, Anthony Morua, Mark

Argo, Jose Argo, Colton Currier, Luke

Argo, Lawrence Olivarez, Jesus Garcia,

Trenton Cavness, Dyan Self, Brandon

Crawford, Graham Hibbert, Edwin Rivas-

For Our Sick/Nuestro Enfermos

Teri Clayton, Felix DeLeon, Ronnie Phillips, Father Jim Robertson, John Michael Maldonado, Trinidad Rangel, Noah Garcia, Julia Aguilar, Teresa Velasquez John Tracey, Cindy Sawyer, Ed Reigle, Jason Moreno, Shannon Barnett, Anthony Ray Torrez, Fred Bartell, Willie Nuñez, Mary Tobin, Dorothy Jeter, Gilbert & Rudy Lozano, Teresa Gronau, Bennie & Nancy Hromadka, Luis Lopez, Bill Nors, Robert Vasquez, Adrian Torrez, Chris Longoria, Robert Ramirez, Mary G Cortez, Tom Rogers, Ann Hughes, Arielle Dayrit, Felix Gonzales, Felipe Rodriguez, Madisyn Morua, Adolfo Torrez, Evelyn Ahearn, Ann Wilson, Anita Hyatt, Anna & Daniel Little, Richard & Dalia Salazar, Melanie Bartek, Barbara Folks, Maggie Lopez, Henry Langford, Sylvia Reber, Truman Crawford, Lilly & Raul Olivarez, David Hernandez, Mary S & Jesse Ramirez, Andres Moreno, Diana Harlow, Carlos Jasso, Arturo Aragon, James Fioroni, Annabel Salazar, Marie Berger, Juan Torres, Donna Brewer, Lupe Rodriguez, Oliva Garcia,

Prayer: All praise and glory are yours, Lord our God. You have called us to serve you and one another in love. Bless our sick today so that they may bear their illness in union with Jesus' sufferings and restore them quickly to health. Bless those who have grown old in your service and give them courage and strength in their faith. Lead us all to eternal glory. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives, and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Announcements

The Bible Timeline: Continues to meet in the cafeteria on Wednesdays @ 6:30pm

KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS: Meets second Wednesday of the month at 7:30pm. in the KOC hall

GUADALUPANAS SOCIETY: Meets every first Saturday of the month @ 11:30am, starting with Rosary, Devine Mercy, Mass and ending with Meeting.

GRUPO SAN BENITO: Ven a sentir el abrazo de Jesús, nos reunimos en los Lunes 7:00pm en el pasilo arriba de la cafeteria.

MENS PRAYER GROUP: Men's prayer group, meets every Thursday morning @ 6:00am in in the upstairs hall.

ROSARY CRUSADE: August 7 @ 6:00pm, 73 Sue Ann Drive. Please feel free to join.

CRUZADA DEL ROSARIO: El 7 de Agosto a las 6:00pm en 73 Sue Ann Drive. Por favor no dude en unirse con nosotros

FALL FESTIVAL: Meeting Monday, August 5 @6:00pm

Oct. 4th Reverse Raffle, Oct. 5th Dance, Oct. 6th Festival

To help, run a booth or for more information please contact Rebecca Ramos @254-458-2060 or attend the meeting.

WORLD YOUTH DAY: If you will be between the ages of 16-18 in the year 2022 and would like to participate in WYD, there will be an information meeting for you and your parents on August 18 @4:00pm.

SENIOR DAY OF REFLECTION: "The Challenges and Gifts of Maturity" *A time for Prayer, Laughter, Food, Fellowship, Discussion.* Please bring your ideas for what a Senior Ministry should be. Wednesday, August 7, 9:00am to 1:00pm, St. John the Evangelist, Marble Falls.

PARISH SOCIAL: Come join us for a get together on Sunday, August 11, @3:00pm, we will be having snow cones, hot dogs, ice cream. Bring the Kids we will be having lots and lots of fun.

PARROQUIA SOCIAL: Ven a una reunión social el dia 11 de Agosto a las 3:00pm. Vamos a tener conos de nieve, perritos calientes, y helados. Trae a los niños nos vamos a divertire mucho.

2nd SUNDAY MOVIE NIGHT: "THE STAIRCASE"

Sunday, August 11 after Parish Social...

SECOND COLLECTION: Sunday August 11 for Church of the Visitation, Westphalia, Tx

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION: Feast of the Assumption Mass, August 15at St. Mary 7:00am (English) in the church., 6:30pm (Bilingual) in the church

IMMIGRATION LEGAL SERVICES: Lean about how the immigration system works and about Immigration Legal Services offered through Catholic Charities of Central Texas, Wednesday, August 14 @ 6:00pm, St. Joseph Catholic Church, Mason, Tx.

SERVICIOS LEGALES INMIGRACION: Infórmese de cómo funciona el sistema de inmigración y los servicios legales de inmigración ofrecidos por Cardidades Catolica de Tejas. El Miércoles, 14 de Agosto, a las 6:00pm en la Iglesia Católica San José en Mason, Tx.

The St. Mary Food Pantry often is able to purchase meat for a very low cost from the Central Texas Food Bank and also receives donations of meat especially during deer season. Currently, we use several aging chest freezers to store meat for our neighbors in need. We would like to purchase a commercial freezer to increase our storage capacity for frozen items. We recently applied for a grant advertised by the Diocese, unfortunately we were not selected. We will continue to apply for any funding. We also are seeking donations from parishioners to help cover the cost. If you can spare \$5, \$10 or whatever you can spare, it will be greatly appreciated...**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

ST. MARY 7th ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT:

September 14th

3 Person Scramble

Tee Time 1:00pm,

Lampasas Hancock Park Golf Course

Meal will be provided after the event

For any information please contact event coordinators

Alex Marez @512-525-1517 or Christina Marez

@512-525-5930

WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT: September 19-22, 2019 @

Eagle's Wings Retreat Center, Burnet, Tx. Contact Clara

Gamez @ 512-998-7550, Vickie Franco @ 512- 540-1199

or Pat Olivarez @ 512-525-5992 for more information.

BASIC CATECHIST CERTIFICATION: Classes for

level 1 catechetical certification will be available for all

catechist in Marble Falls. The classes will be held every

Saturday in August with a fee of \$10 per class (5 classes).

Good Shepherd Announcements

Lectors: Heather Oliver

Altar Society: Dianna Furlan

Flowers: Nelda DeRiso

EMHC: Adela Perez, John Vasquez, Edna Torres

DIVINE MERCY CENACLE: Please join us Thursdays

@ 4:15 in the Family Life Center

WEEKDAY MASS: Wednesday @6:00pm

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION VIGIL MASS:

Feast of the Assumption Mass, (English)

August 14th, 7:00pm

DRE MEETING: August 16th @ 9:30am

CCE REGISTRATION: Early registration is now open for Pre-K-12th grades. Please meet with Kathy Belyeu after mass or call her at 512-734-5203.

SECOND SUNDAY BREAKFAST: Please join us for

fellowship and some breakfast August 11 after mass.

SECOND COLLECTION: Sunday August 11 for Church

of the Visitation, Westphalia, Tx

Sacrificial Giving: July 28/1

Main Collection: \$646.00

Children's for July: \$29.00

Calendar

Monday

AUGUST 5

Weekday

Nm 11:4b-15

Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday

AUGUST 6

*The Transfiguration
of the Lord*

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14

2 Pt 1:16-19

Lk 9:28b-36

Wednesday

AUGUST 7

Weekday

Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1,

26a-29a, 34-35

Mt 15:21-28

Thursday

AUGUST 8

St. Dominic, Priest

Nm 20:1-13

Mt 16:13-23

Friday

AUGUST 9

Weekday

Dt 4:32-40

Mt 16:24-28

Saturday

AUGUST 10

*St. Lawrence,
Deacon and Martyr*

2 Cor 9:6-10

Jn 12:24-26

Sunday

AUGUST 11

*Nineteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time*

Wis 18:6-9

Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or Heb

11:1-2, 8-12

Lk 12:32-48

or 12:35-40

Dear Padre,

His disciples were lucky to glimpse Jesus as he was transfigured in glory. Do I have to die to see Jesus this way, or am I looking in the wrong places?

I think that what the disciples saw at Jesus' transfiguration was a radiant flash of Jesus' promise of eternal glory. His prayerful radiance, in a flash and for a moment, broke through their confusions, fears, doubts, and self-consciousness, illuminating him as the promise for which they longed.

Indeed, we also can sometimes find ourselves longing so much for spiritual



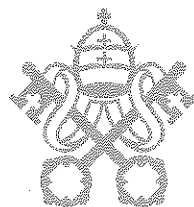
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clarity that we fail to see Jesus and his promise in the places he really is; that is, in those settings of suffering that call forth his compassion from us. Where should you look to see Jesus transfigured? Perhaps in that single moment

when you visit someone who is sick and receive a smile of gratitude. Or when you help out at a food pantry and a child's enjoyment of your bounty brings a smile (or tear) to your face. Perhaps, too, in that moment when, despite personal discomfort, you attend a wake or funeral and your presence radiates the promise of consolation even more than your words.

In fact, probably the best place to look is wherever and whenever you encounter someone vulnerable and your awkward self-consciousness is transfigured into generous, self-giving love. That is both Jesus' promise and his glory.

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chatter and loud shouting.

A Word from Pope Francis

To set aside a moment of silence each day to be with God is to "keep" our soul; it is to "keep" our freedom from being corroded by the banality of consumerism, the blare of commercials, the stream of empty words, and the overpowering waves of empty

—World Day of Peace, January 1, 2018

Our Parish COMMUNITY

August 4, 2019

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Ecc 1:2; 2:21-23

Col 3:1-5, 9-11

Lk 12:13-21

Becoming Rich in What Matters

What are we working for? What is the desire that moves us to sacrifice every day? Where is our heart? These are the deep questions that Qoheleth ponders. He sees people around him struggling for years and then, as fate would have it, their wealth falls into the hands of someone who hasn't worked for it. He sees others, toiling and anxious, and wonders, "What does it really get them?"

Jesus also saw the vanity of making your life's goal a struggle to amass wealth, as if that was the source

of security. To keep us from spiritual shortsightedness, he reminds us of an undeniable truth: we know neither the day nor the hour when we will be called before God to give an accounting of how we invested the talents he gave us.

We have been raised with Christ. Our greedy, miserly nature has been buried with Christ so that our generous, magnanimous, and farsighted nature could be set free. So if we believe in Christ, in the one who left all his heavenly treasures and became poor so that we might become rich, then the best investment is in him and his truths. He guarantees a return, even if it is deferred. He promises that what we surrender to him will be reimbursed a hundredfold and will give dividends for eternity.

So when examining where our treasure is, where our hearts and worries go, Jesus would have us ask ourselves: Will this make me richer in what matters to God?

—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

For Reflection

What are we working for?

Where is our heart?

What is the goal that really moves us to sacrifice day in, day out?

Piece: *Saint Jerome*, sixteenth century
Artist: Pier Francesco Mola
Location: Vatican Museums

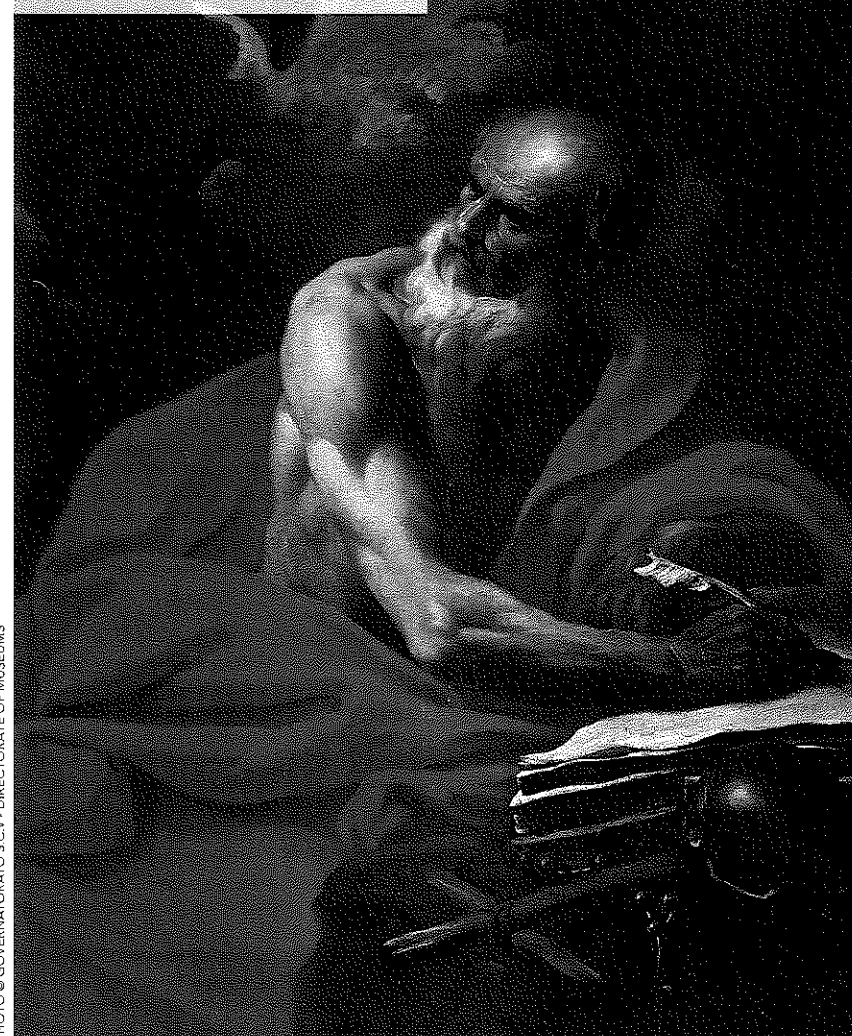


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*For what profit comes to mortals from all the toil and anxiety
of heart with which they toil under the sun?*

Ecclesiastes 2:22



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