

Sacred Heart Catholic Church and St. Mary's Catholic Church

PARISH BULLETIN

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Hall Rental: Please e-mail sacredheartrentals@live.com or call Mark Meuth at 512-332-6201.

Holtman Hall Contracts are posted on the church website, <http://sacredheart.rocknetx.com/>

Baptism: One class is required for parents and sponsors! Please call Fr. Dariusz or Deacon Roger or Deacon Alvin.

Marriage: A six-month notice is required. Please call Fr. Dariusz or Deacon Roger or Deacon Alvin.

Pro-Life Coordinator: Christie Williams, 281-914-8208 or cwilliams654@gmail.com.

Ministry to the Sick: When a parishioner is hospitalized or homebound, please contact the rector.

Confessions: Rockne and String Prairie: A half-hour before Mass on Friday, Saturday and Sunday or by appointment.

Rosary: Prayed 30 minutes before Mass.

March 31, 2019 – Fourth Sunday of Lent

MASSES:	Monday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Lee Jarosek – by Family
	Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	(Rockne) Blessings of Walter & Sarah Jones – by Victoria Hinojosa
	Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne-SP) Stations of the Cross
		7:30 p.m.	(Rockne-SP) NO MASS
	Thursday	7:00 a.m.	(Rockne) For the Parishioners
	Friday	6:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Novena & Chaplet of Divine Mercy-Holy Hour for World Peace
		6:30 p.m.	(Rockne) Stations of the Cross
		7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Herman F. Goertz – by Nelda Thompson
		7:30 p.m.	(Rockne) First Friday - Benediction and Exposition
	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Frederick Goertz – by Family
	Sunday	8:00 a.m.	(Rockne) Jesus Miranda – by Family
		10:00 a.m.	(Rockne-SP) Edward Herauf – by Leroy & Fran Herauf

American Heritage Girls **Spaghetti Dinner fundraiser** will be Saturday, March 30, in the school hall from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. Along with the free will donation meal, there will be a dessert silent auction, so please come join in the fun! (AHG Troop 2912)

Religious Education Classes will be on Sunday, 9:15 – 10:15 a.m. for grades K – 6 and on Wednesday, 7:15 – 8:30 p.m. for grades 7 – 12. (Bill Kadura and Ronnie Hoffman)

RCIA classes continue this Sunday, March 31, from 9:00 – 10:30 a.m., in Holtman Hall. This week's class covers The Mass Explained (Part 2) and will be facilitated by Mike May. Classes are open to anyone, including parishioners, interested in exploring the Catholic faith. (Rodney Kadura)

St. Ann's Society will meet Monday, April 1, at 7:30 p.m. We welcome all ladies of the parish. (Kaye Leidy)

Parish Social Ministry will meet on Tuesday, April 2, at 7:00 p.m., in a classroom in the Education Building. All members please plan to attend this meeting as your input is important. (Parish Social Ministry)

Penitential Service will be on Wednesday, April 3, at 7:00 p.m., in Luling, on Thursday, April 4, at 7:00 p.m., in Elgin, on Monday, April 8, at 7:00 p.m. in Rockne, on Tuesday, April 9, at 7:00 p.m., in Umland, on Wednesday, April 10, at 7:00 p.m., in Smithville and on Thursday, April 11, at 7:00 p.m., in Lockhart. (Fr. Dariusz)

Twenty-four-hour Eucharistic Adoration, first Friday with Exposition 7:00 a.m. – Benediction 7:00 a.m. Saturday. Sign up for each hour remains as before. All of us are encouraged to spend time in the presence of Jesus in the blessed sacrament. (Deacon Roger)

Our **Lady of Fatima asked for acts of reparation** for offenses to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. She promised to assist at the hour of death all who on the First Saturday of 5 consecutive months: 1) Go to confession, 2) Receive Holy Communion, 3) Pray five decades of the rosary, and 4) Keep Mary company for an additional 15 minutes meditating on the mysteries of the rosary. (Patsy Meuth)

Beginning on Saturday April 6, the Rosary will be recited on each First Saturday of the month at 4:30 p.m., in the Prayer Memorial Garden. Let's continue the devotion to Our Lady of Fatima to pray for peace among all of God's people. (Parish Social Ministry)

There will be a **second collection** next weekend, April 6 and 7, Support the Catholic Relief Services Collection.

Prayers for the unborn will be recited each first Sunday of the month. Prayer cards will be available in each pew. The prayer will follow the prayer to St. Michael the Archangel. (Deacon Roger)

Red Rock Elementary Spring Fling, Literacy Night and Fried Fish fundraiser will be Friday, April 5, from 5:00 – 7:30 p.m. Fish, Mac and cheese, beans and tea. \$6 kids/\$10 adults and \$10 to go plates. We will have a drive through to go line at the school for your convenience as well. Please contact Angela Raschke for any further information at 713-819-5523. (Angela Raschke)

All parishioners 60 years and older are invited to the **Senior Citizens Appreciation Lunch and Bingo** on Sunday, April 7, in the old parish hall. Meal served at 12:00 noon and bingo begins at 1:30 p.m. Our 7-12 grade CCD students and Catholic Life are hosting this fun event and hope that you will make plans to attend. Also, Catholic Life will be collecting can foods for the food pantry at this event. Of course, spouses and caregivers younger than 60 are also invited. Students please come at 10:30 a.m. to help with the preparations. (Carolyn Holub, Brandi Vinklarek)

There will be a **Hall Committee meeting** on Tuesday, April 9, at 7:00 p.m., in the Old Hall. We need additional volunteers and if you are interested, please plan to attend this meeting. (Mark Meuth)

40 Days for Life is a 40-day prayer vigil on the sidewalks of Austin abortion facilities happening throughout Lent until Sunday, April 14th and again in the fall, offering a constant, peaceful prayer vigil. Visit the following web link for more information or to sign up to pray www.centraltexascoalition.com/40-days-of-life-2/. (Christie Williams)

Unplanned — This new pro-life movie is currently playing in local theaters, is based on a true story, and even depicts a key Austin-area pro-life worker. Pro-Life Help Line (877) WE-CARE-2 or 1-877-932-2732 (Christie Williams)

We wish a special happy birthday to Ovon Goertz on the occasion of her 80th birthday, which she celebrates on April 1 and to Mildred Moore on the occasion of her 85th birthday, which she celebrates on April 3. May God bless you and keep you for many more years. (Fr. Dariusz)

Collection: \$4,685.00

World and Home Missions: \$10.00

April 6	GB:	Frederick Goertz Family	Servers:	Bryson M.
	LR:	Patsy Meuth, Denise Culpepper		Braden M.
	EM:	Louis Davis, Mary Gail Bartsch		Trevor C.
	Rosary:	Eva Friske		
	Statue:	Clayton Hoffman Family		
	Greeters:	Mary Gail Bartsch, Phil Fredericks		
	Ushers:	Mary Gail Bartsch, Phil Fredericks, Carl Meuth, Virgil Meuth, Larry & Pat Friske		
April 7	GB:	Jesus Miranda Family	Servers:	Josh G.
	LR:	Youth Mass		Julian T.
	EM:	Nora Miranda, Robert Williams		
	Rosary:	Marcella Muehr		
	Statue:	Donald & June Rougeau		
	Chalice:	Ovon Goertz		
	Greeters:	Marcus Meuth, Michael Hilbig		
	Ushers:	Marcus Meuth, Michael Hilbig, Eloy Espinosa III, David Tucker, Gary Klaus, Mike Matocha		

Eucharistic Ministers to the sick for the month of April: Robert Natal, Steve Meuth, Nelda Thompson

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April 7	GB:	Brian & Tiffany Waneck	Servers:	Mason Phelps
	LR:	Sharon Foerster		Ashlyn Wilhelm
	EM:	Bill Evans		Garret Wilhelm
	Rosary:	Sara Goertz		
	Statue:	Matt & Lisa Cooper		
	Ushers:	Bradley Wilhelm, Jimmy Duty		

We wish a happy birthday to Carl Fontenot on the occasion of his 85th birthday, which he celebrates on April 3. May God bless you and keep you for many more years. (Fr. Dariusz)

St. Ann's Altar Society of St. Mary's Church is hosting a **fried chicken lunch**, Sunday, March 31, after the 10:00 a.m. Mass in the old school hall at Sacred Heart Church. Proceeds from the lunch will go towards the renovation of St. Mary's Church. Cost of plates will be a freewill donation. Thank you for your support.

Fight For Freddie: There will be a benefit for Freddie Willie Jr. on April 6, at St. Mary's Catholic Church Hall. A washer and corn hole tournament will begin at 1:00 p.m., sign up will start around noon. There will be a silent and live auction. BBQ brisket with all the trimmings will begin serving at 4:00 p.m. and serve until we run out of food. Any questions please call Cathy at 512-332-1661, Sharon at 512-921-0751 or Leroy at 512-581-2568.