

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

## PARISH BULLETIN

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**Hall Rental:** Please e-mail [sacredhearhallrentals@live.com](mailto:sacredhearhallrentals@live.com) or call Diana and Mauro Rodriguez, 512-673-7422.

**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 [ccwilliams654@gmail.com](mailto:ccwilliams654@gmail.com).

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

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

**Rosary:** Prayed 30 minutes before Mass.

## April 28, 2019 – Second Sunday of Easter, Devine Mercy Sunday

<b>MASSES:</b>	Monday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Albert & Emma Hoffman – by Family
	Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	(Rockne) For the Parishioners
	Wednesday	7:30 p.m.	(Rockne-SP) NO MASS
	Thursday	7:00 a.m.	(Rockne) Arthur Wilhelm – by Winifred Vinklerek
	Friday	6:00 p.m.	(Rockne) <i>Novena &amp; Chaplet of Divine Mercy-Holy Hour for World Peace</i>
		7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Herman F. Goertz – by Nelda Thompson
		7:30 p.m.	(Rockne) <i>First Friday - Benediction and Exposition</i>
	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Kenneth Bartsch – by Family
	Sunday	8:00 a.m.	(Rockne) Stanley Bartsch – by Family
		10:00 a.m.	(Rockne-SP) Troy Frerich – by Jim & Mary Bedrich

**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)

**Today is the Feast of Divine Mercy.** Our Lord told St. Faustina, "On this day, the very depths of My tender Mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment." To prepare properly for this feast we should (1) Ask for God's Mercy (2) Be Merciful to Others (3) Completely Trust in Jesus. Our Lord further asked that this Feast be preceded by a Novena to the Divine Mercy from Good Friday to the following Saturday. We will pray the Novena prayers and Chaplet of Divine Mercy 15 minutes before Mass each day. Copies of the Novena are available at the back of Church for use at home by families. (Patsy Meuth)

**RCIA classes** continue this Sunday, April 28, from 9:00 – 10:30 a.m., in Holtman Hall. This week's class covers Mystagogia and will be facilitated by Karen Tucker. Classes are open to anyone, including parishioners, interested in exploring the Catholic faith. (Rodney Kadura)

Today, Sunday, April 28, at 3:00 p.m. all are invited to participate in a **Eucharistic Holy Hour and pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet.** "As often as you hear the clock strike the third hour immerse yourself completely in My mercy, adoring and glorifying it, .... for at that moment mercy was opened wide for every soul. In this hour you can obtain everything for yourself and for others for the asking; it was the hour of grace for the whole world - mercy triumphed over justice." (Faustina Diary #1572) (Patsy Meuth)

There will be a **Spring Festival meeting** on Tuesday, April 30, at 7:00 p.m., in the old hall for chairpersons who have not provided their workers list. Chairpersons can also email to Damian Muehr at [djmuehr@aol.com](mailto:djmuehr@aol.com) or [dmuehr@4mcenterprises.com](mailto:dmuehr@4mcenterprises.com). (Damian Muehr)

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)

The **rosary** will be recited on the first Saturday, May 4, at 4:30 p.m., in the Prayer Memorial Garden. We ask Our Lady of Fatima to intervene for peace in our country and the whole world when making the Five First Saturdays. Come and pray with us. (Parish Social Ministry.)

**Mother's Day:** The Rockne-String Prairie Knights of Columbus Council will be selling bar-b-que chickens and sausage. Chickens will be \$10.00 and sausage links will be \$1.00. Sacred Heart parishioners can place their orders with John Klaus (512-581-1124) or Gregory Klaus (512-581-2781) by May 6. You may pick up your orders in front of Sacred Heart Church at 11:00 a.m. on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 12. St. Mary's parishioners must also place their orders with Leon Prasek (512-332-6183) or Howard Waneck (512-581-2089) by May 6. You can pick up your orders after the 10:00 a.m. Mass on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 12 in String Prairie. (Phil Fredericks)

St. Ann's Society will host the **quarterly Deanery meeting** next Sunday, May 5, at 2:00 p.m., in the education room of Holtman Hall. (Kaye Leidy)

**St. Ann's Society monthly meeting** will be Monday, May 6, at 7:30 p.m. We welcome all ladies of the parish. (Kaye Leidy)

The **Spring Festival Chairpersons/Donation Slip** is available at the back of Church.

We wish a special happy birthday to Nelda Thompson on the occasion of her 83rd birthday, which she celebrates on April 29. May God bless you and keep you for many more years. (Fr. Dariusz)

**Collection:** \$3,837.45

**Holy Land:** \$865.76

**Seminarians & Priest Education:** \$650.00

May 4	GB:	Kenneth Bartsch Family	Servers:	Mercy O.
	LR:	Christie Williams, Patsy Meuth		Genevieve O.
	EM:	Louis & Gloria Davis		Amanda D.
	Rosary:	Patsy Meuth		
	Statue:	Alois Goertz Family		
	Greeters:	Shirley Wright, Don Klaus		
	Ushers:	Shirley Wright, Don Klaus, Tyler Vinklerek, Carl Vinklerek, Gilbert & Emma Salinas		
May 5	GB:	Stanley Bartsch Family	Servers:	Diego R.
	LR:	Pat Friske, Chella Espinosa		Deya R.
	EM:	Robert Natal, Linda Kutach		Francisco P.
	Rosary:	Damian & Jeannine Muehr		
	Statue:	Carl Meuth Family		
	Chalice:	Cecil & Gerri Martinez		
	Greeters:	Alois Hoffman, Homer Garza		
	Ushers:	Alois Hoffman, Homer Garza, Josh Garza, Gregory Klaus, John Klaus, J. Tereso Ruiz		

Eucharistic Ministers to the sick for the month of May: Eva Friske, Mark Goertz, Kaye Kieke Wardell

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May 5	GB:	Cathy Witherspoon	Servers:	Cole Waneck
	LR:	Florence Neal		Grason Mullen
	EM:	Alan Seidel		Darcy Mullen
	Rosary:	LaVerne Till		
	Statue:	George & Cydnie Meuth		
	Ushers:	George Meuth, Gary Weinheimer		

**Collection (4/21):** \$2,225.00

**Good Friday:** \$180.00

There will be a short **St. Ann's meeting** today, Sunday, April 28, immediately following Mass. (Fran Herauf)

St. Ann's Society is sponsoring an **Easter Egg Hunt** for children ages 0 thru 12. The hunt will be May 5, at St. Mary's Church before the First Communion and Graduation luncheon. We need a head count, so if your children will be participating please call Marie Waneck with their ages at 830-839-4424. (Marie Waneck)

String Prairie Community Center will be having their annual **BBQ/Auction fundraiser** on Saturday, May 11. All you can eat BBQ brisket including the trimmings will begin serving at 5:00 p.m. Cold beverages will be available. The live auction under the big oak trees will begin at 6:30 p.m. (Sharon Foerster)