

July 31, 2016

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASSES

SAT. 6:00 P.M. FAMILY ROSARY

6:30 P.M. +Richard Hlavenka; +Henry Kubala; +Kenneth Kubala; and Thanksgiving for Tim Kocian Birthday

SUN. 7:30 A.M. +Joe Mynarcik; and +Debbie Sulak

SUN. 9:00 A.M. +Eddie Klaus; +Agnes Wheeler; +Harry & Bessie Lichnovsky; Thanksgiving for the 50th Jubilee of Sister Rosemary Lichnovsky; and For the Anniversary of Jay & Jennifer Clement

SUN. 10:30 A.M. For the Living and Deceased Brennan Family

SUN. Spanish Mass (Noon) Parish Family

MON. 6:30 P.M. For World Peace

TUES. 6:30 A.M. For the Health of Brooklyn & Cooper Downing

WED. 5:00 P.M. Rosary

6:30 P.M. +Joey Pustejovsky BD; Eugene Snapka; and Living & Deceased St. Anne's Altar Society

THURS. 6:30 A.M. For the Health of Dolores Divin

10:00 A.M. Rest Haven +Joe & Marie Mynarcik, Sr.

NEXT SAT. 6:00 P.M. FAMILY ROSARY

6:30 P.M. +Raymond J. Hromadka, Sr.; +Shelia Brown; +Cecil Atkins; +Kenneth Earl; +Gus Kocian; Teresa & Thomas Nors, 39th Anniv; and +Emily Rose Hutyra, BD;

NEXT SUN. 7:30 A.M. +Jerry Grones; +Norman Sulak, Anniv.; +Willie Mae Karlik, BD; +Joe Mynarcik; and +Bernice Hornak;

NEXT SUN. 9:00 A.M. +John J. & Christine Polansky; +Albert & Rosemarie Banik; +Frances Beseda; Thanksgiving MAH; and Special Intention CH

NEXT SUN. 10:30 A.M. +Patsy Picha; +W.J. "Red" & Mildred Billingsly; and +Ray Kapczynski

NEXT SUN. Spanish (Noon) Parish Family

TODAY -- The directories can be picked up after all the Masses. If you had your picture taken for the directory then we have your free directory.

TODAY -- Our adult Sunday study group will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the parish cafeteria. All sessions will last one hour.

TODAY – 50/50 Club meets in the Parish Center after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

TODAY - A RECEPTION HONORING Sister Rosemary Lichnovsky, IWBS will be held in St. Joseph Hall after 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. masses until 12:30, celebrating her Golden Jubilee of Religious Vows.

TODAY - St. Mary of the Visitation Parish in Lockhart will host its 41st annual Jamaica from 6:30 p.m. till midnight at the parish grounds. Activities include games for all ages, food booths, tamales and live music. For more information, contact the parish office at (512) 398-4649.

TUESDAY – Adoration after the 6:30 a.m. Mass. A time for personal prayer.

WEDNESDAY - Family Rosary beginning at 5 p.m. with Eucharistic Adoration in church/Benediction/Confessions 5-6 p.m.

THURSDAY - Adoration after the 6:30 a.m. Mass. A time for personal prayer.

FRIDAY – Men's Fellowship Group will not meet during the Month of August. Our next meeting will be Friday, September 2, when we will begin a bible study series on the Acts of the Apostles.

NEXT SUNDAY - 50/50 Club meets in the Parish Center after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

NEXT SUNDAY -- Our adult Sunday study group will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the parish cafeteria. All sessions will last one hour.

NEXT SUNDAY -- CCE Signups will begin after all Masses the weekend of August 6-7. Signups will continue every other week after all Masses until Labor Day weekend.

NEXT SUNDAY -- Altar Server Swim Party, sponsored by the West Knights of Columbus, will be on August 7th at the West Playdium Pool from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Hot dogs & hamburgers will be served. All altar servers are encouraged to attend.

**Church of the Assumption
FEAST DAY FESTIVAL
Sunday, August 14, 2016
West KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL
West, Texas**

**Fried Chicken & Baked Chicken
& Sausage Dinner**

RAFFLE TICKETS are here and we are asking that each family sells at least 2 books. Thank you!

While you are **CANNING & PICKLING & PRESERVING** – please keep us in mind. We will need donations of your homemade canned goods of pickles, preserves, jellies, jams, fruits, relishes, picante sauce, etc. for the **“COUNTRY STORE”**.

Donations for boxes of chicken for the festival are being accepted. A box of chicken is \$50.00. Please place your donation in an envelope with your name on it and place them in the collection basket. Donations of chicken are Evelyn Petter, Steven & Becky Enders (2), John & Diana Schroeder(2), Clarence & Susan Janek, John & Monica May, Tim & Caroline Sullins(2), Albert & Barbara Olsovsky, Mary Ann Cocek, Ernest & Doris Tobola, Terry & Nancy Isaacs, and Michael & Stephanie Matus. Thank you for your donations.

PARISH AUCTION -- K.J.T. #31 is sponsoring the auction for the festival. If you are making a special item for the auction, it will be welcomed. If you need us

to pick it up prior to the festival, please call Mike or Cathy Kraemer at 254-644-5970 or Robert & Georgie Nors at 254-286-3451 or bring it to the K.C. hall on the morning of the festival. One other note, we will be using the Computer System as we did last year. We will need all buyers to register the morning of the festival. You will be given a buyer's number. If you do want to get name recognition when you purchase an item, please let our people know and we will have a separate microphone at the desk and call the name of the buyer, also the auctioneers will do their best to recognize the buyers.

SILENT AUCTION – CDA is sponsoring the silent auction for the festival. We will be happy to pick up the items from you. Contact Dianne Friend at 717-0031. If you would like to have the item picked up or you may bring it to the KC Hall Saturday morning.

SET UP – The Advisory Board are seeking help to set up the Hall for the festival. If you are available and you would like to lend a hand please be at the hall on Friday at 6:00 p.m.

CHICKEN SKINNERS- We will need help skinning the chicken on Saturday beginning at 8 a.m. at the Knight of Columbus hall.

DESSERTS – Parishioners are asked to please bring a dessert on Sunday to the Knights of Columbus Hall for the church festival.

BINGO PRIZES are needed for the Feast Day Festival. Please bring them by the rectory or you can bring them on the day of the festival to the old KC Building by 10:00 a.m. PLEASE BRING ONLY NEW AND USEFUL ITEMS.

COUNTRY STORE ITEMS NEEDED – We need donations of homemade canned goods of pickles, preserves, jellies, jams, fruits, beets, relishes, picante sauce, etc. needed for Country Store. Also baked goods, homemade noodles, plants of all sorts, jewelry, aprons and any items you may have. If you need to have items picked up, call Mary Kallus 826-3077 or

Theresa Plsek 867-1973. Also, if anyone would like to help in Country Store, call us.

PLANNING AHEAD – Diocesan Council of Catholic Women next meeting will be on August 10th at 10 a.m. and lunch will served at noon. Church of the Assumption will be hosting the meeting. We are requesting that you consider donating a door prize and a dessert.

ST. MARY'S STILL ENROLLING

St. Mary's Catholic School is continuing to enroll new students for the 2016-2017 school year. St. Mary's offers a quality Catholic Education at 1/3 of the cost of tuition compared to other Catholic schools in the diocese. All core classes are taught by State of Texas Board Certified Teachers, many of the faculty possess an advanced degree, Spanish and Technology instruction begins in Pre-K through 8th grade, and Athletics is offered in grades 4-8. Scholarships are available. For more information, please contact the school office at 254-826-5991 or email development@stmaryswest.com.

BACK-TO-SCHOOL EVENT PLANNED AT ST. MARY'S

St. Mary's Catholic School in West has scheduled their annual Back-to-School Celebration for 6 pm Thursday, August 11th. The event is to begin with a general meeting and pep rally in the gym and then will dismiss for a hot dog supper and meet the teacher event directly after. Parents are asked to bring any updated immunization records, etc. For more information, please contact Ericka Sammon at 254-826-5991 or email her at ericka.sammon@stmaryswest.com.

RURAL LIFE MASS IS AUG. 18 IN WEST

The 27th annual Rural Life Mass will be held Aug. 18 at 6 p.m. at St. Mary, Church

of the Assumption Parish in West. Bishop Daniel Garcia will celebrate the Mass, which is sponsored by the Austin Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (DCCW). The Rural Life Mass is celebrated annually in thanksgiving for a bountiful harvest. A dinner will follow the Mass in the parish center.

ATTENTION - The West Conference of the Society of St. Vincent dePaul would like to help anyone struggling to pay for school supplies or school uniforms. You don't have to be in poverty to feel the big crunch on your household budget at this time of the year when your children need school supplies, back-to-school clothes, fees for school-related activities. Our Society would like to help families as they prepare to return to public school or St. Mary's. We will take your kid's supply list and fill it for you! Please call 254-297-9190 if you would like help. Also, if you know anyone that is in need of our help with school supplies in the West ISD, please share our phone number with them.

PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING: Mary Lander; Marcella Kaska, Mona Zahirniak, Parker Parson, Braden Sing, Dolores Divin, J.T. Vallon, Monica Ferguson; Brooklyn & Cooper Downing, Marvin Gerik, Felix Picha, Larry Mashek, Tim Jaska, Freddie Hutyra, Cressie Girard, Alex Perez, Bill Hannes, Ken Bernsen, Kelly Hooper, Lillian Hromadka, Karcyn Kauffman, Larry Holecek, Wesley Mashek, Nilce Carman, Nathaniel Torres, Wendell Harrison, Paula Ledford, Martha Sulak Gerik, Louis Mynarcik, Chris Hutyra, Delbert Helms, Dawn Hand, Butch Manske, Charlotte Klaus, Linda Hill, Jeff Jares, Larry Podsednik, Jason Neill, Dianna Schroeder, and Estelle Marek.

MARIAN SHRINE LIGHT is in memory of A.J. Muska, Jr by Carolyn Muska.

SANCTUARY LIGHT is in honor of Sister Rosemary Lichnovsky by Gouldman Family.

VOCATIONS CRUCIFIX will be in the home of Evelyn Petter this week.

FLOWERS on the Altar are in honor of Sister Rosemary Lichnovsky on her 50th Year Jubilee given by her classmates.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Offertory Collection..... \$8,320.49

AUGUST 6-7

SATURDAY 6:30 P.M.

LECTOR – Dianne Mendiola

GIFTS – Mike Mendiola Family

ALTAR SERVERS – Ben Brown, Connor Sullins, Abigail Neill

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS – Evelyn Stuckly, Donna Sepeda, Joe Sepeda

SUN 7:30 A.M.

LECTOR – Anton Kaluza

GIFTS – Tim Schulte Family

ALTAR SERVERS – Bradley & Camryn Sinkule, Abigail Neill

ORDINARY MINISTERS – Chuck Felderhoff, Katherine Maler, Pat Filer

9:00 A.M.

LECTOR – Grace Banik

GIFTS – Bobby Kosticka Family

SERVERS –Mabri Warren, Caroline Janek Patrick Janek

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS – Jim Maguire, Raymond & Joyce Dulock

10:30 A.M.

LECTOR – Terry Isaacs

GIFTS – Matthew Eubanks Family

SERVERS – Lucas Bryant, Cole Bryant, Keri Ruth

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS –Margaret Kubala, Jon & Sharon Hlavenka

EIM – On August 1, 2016, the Diocese of Austin will begin using a new education program for our EIM workshop, which will replace our current Basic/Refresher workshop format. The new program is a

significant update of current training programs and we believe it is important for all persons that are required to be EIM compliant to participate in this program and receive this updated information. Consequently, all clergy, religious, seminarians and employees, and all volunteers serving in ministry to minors or the vulnerable, will attend this new program when they are next due for a workshop. Additionally, anyone new to the Diocese of Austin, wishing to serve in ministry here, must attend this new EIM workshop in order to be compliant with diocesan EIM policies. Verification of safe environment training from a previous diocese no longer serves as training in the Diocese of Austin. Please contact the EIM Office at Emily-hurlimann@austindiocese.org. if you have any question

CCE NEWS

CCE is currently scheduled to begin on Wednesday, September 7 with a group Mass followed by a brief parent meeting and teacher meeting.

We are anticipating having an 11th and 12th grade combined class this year for students that are interested. It will be on Sunday mornings at 9 am. If anyone is interested in helping get this off the ground please let us know.

If anyone would like to volunteer (older students and adults) to help teach or assist with classes this year, please contact us at westcce@gmail.com or 254-299-7749.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS - All teachers and anyone who is wishing to help out with the RCIA classes are asked to attend a meeting on August 9th at 7 p.m. Keep an eye out for more information in the coming weeks with more details.