

SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS

November 1, 2020

Mass Intentions

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| <i>Mon.</i> | 6:30 P.M. | All Souls Novena <i>The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed</i> |
| <i>Tues.</i> | 6:30 A.M. | All Souls Novena <i>St. Martin de Porres, Religious</i> |
| <i>Wed.</i> | 6:30 A.M. | All Souls Novena <i>St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop</i> |
| | *8:15 A.M. | Johnny Jiral |
| <i>Thurs.</i> | 6:30 A.M. | All Souls Novena |
| <i>Fri.</i> | 6:30 A.M. | All Souls Novena |
| <i>Sat.</i> | 5 P.M. | All Souls Novena |
| <i>Sun.</i> | 7 A.M. | All Souls Novena |
| | 9 A.M. | Parish Family <i>Pro Populo</i> |
| | 11 A.M. | All Souls Novena |

*Due to the extra safety steps as the children arrive for school the Mass will begin at **8:15 A.M.** to prevent the rush to get into the Church.

Sanctuary Candle Intention

St. Joseph Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Santos and Fabian Ramirez.

St. Ann Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Gus Kubecka.

Prayer List

Contact Theresa Bordovsky at 293-3124 or
Ann Marie Bludau at 798-2959.

This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Rev 7:2-4, 9-14; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

Your Gift to God: October 25th

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| St. Joseph Parish Support | \$3,502 |
| Online Giving Parish Support | \$1,772.50 |
| Building Fund | \$100 |
| St. Ann Parish Support | \$554 |
| Online Giving | \$30 |

May God reward your generosity!

Please Note: Confessions

Wednesday confessions will be heard from **5 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.** On **Saturdays** confessions are available from **4 p.m. to 4:40 p.m.**

Liturgical Assignments

Lectors

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| <i>Mon.</i> | 6:30 P.M. | Mark Jemelka |
| <i>Sat.</i> | 5 P.M. | Denise Migl |
| <i>Sun.</i> | 7 A.M. | Kendra Wenske |
| | 9 A.M. | Anthony Harper |
| | 11 A.M. | Susana Trujillo |

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

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| <i>Sat.</i> | 5 P.M. | Gloria Lerma |
| <i>Sun.</i> | 9 A.M. | Patrick Matussek |
| | 11 A.M. | Raquel Gomez |

Ushers/Hospitality

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| <i>Sat.</i> | 5 P.M. | Bobby Fikac, Bill Lopez, Rocki Grubert, Rhonda Hansel |
| <i>Sun.</i> | 7 A.M. | Janet & Jason Zabransky |
| | 9 A.M. | Glenn & Darlene Renken, Elorine Sitka, Henry Janak |
| | 11 A.M. | Raquel Gomez, Gabriel Espinosa, Jose Martinez, Miguel Trujillo |

Servers

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| <i>Sun.</i> | 7 A.M. | Zachary Raz, Hunter Mischer |
| | 9 A.M. | Aaron & Grace Migl |
| | 11 A.M. | Christian Rivas, Alex Gutierrez |

Reminder

Altar Servers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, and Ushers should wear masks when assigned. Masks are available in the Sacristy if needed.

Ministry Scheduler

The Ministry Scheduler program has been "turned on" again and should be used to schedule substitutes, etc. Those who contacted the office and were willing to "get back" have been scheduled. If there is a problem simply contact the office.

Missalette Covers

Those who've taken advantage of the offer to take the vinyl covered blue missalettes are asked to **return the vinyl covers** and simply leave them in the church entrance on the racks. They can be cleaned and stored until the next phase allows the possibility to use them again.

Breakfast Taco Sale Today

K.J.T. Society #13 and the Confirmation class will be sponsoring a Breakfast Taco Sale at the Family Center after the 9 A.M. Mass today, **November 1st**. A meeting will be held after the sale in the Family Center. Members and families are invited to attend.

Visitation of Cemeteries

Blessing of graves observances:

St. Ann Cemetery will occur after the 7:00 a.m. Mass on November 1st.

Guadalupe Cemetery, Dreyer – Nov. 1st- 2 P.M.

St. Joseph Cemetery at 12-noon - November 2nd.

All Souls Day

Monday, November 2nd

Mass will be celebrated at 6:30 P.M. The evening Mass will include our special candle-lighting remembrance of those who passed away during this past year in our parish family. **A family member or friend of the deceased is asked to be present to light the candle in their memory.**

Attention: Catholic Daughters

Due to the Commemoration of All Souls Mass the monthly CDA meeting will not be held tomorrow, November 2nd. Members are asked to attend the All Souls Mass at 6:30 P.M.

CDA Bake Sale – November 7/8

The Catholic Daughters will sponsor a bake sale next weekend after the Saturday 5 P.M. Mass and after the 9 A.M. Mass on Sunday. A variety of delicious homemade goodies will be available.

CDA Raffle Donors Needed

The Catholic Daughters are preparing for their annual fundraiser in January, 2021 and are currently taking donations towards the raffle so that tickets can be printed in advance. Anyone who would like to make a donation to the raffle is asked to contact Dorothy Zabransky at 205 Boulder, Cuero, Texas 77954 or phone 361-243-6780.

Baptismal Preparation Class

The next class of Baptismal Preparation will be on **Saturday, November 14th** at 9:00 A.M. in the Family Center Meeting Room.

“Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.”

Election Day Opportunity

We will have a brief period of Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesday, November 3rd from 6 AM to 6:25 AM. There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, time for quiet prayer, the Litany of the Holy Name of Jesus and close with Benediction. The normal 6:30 AM Mass will then be celebrated. It offers a chance to seek the comfort and power of Jesus in the midst of the weariness of the pandemic- and turn to our Lord asking for peace and blessing on our land as we exercise our privilege and right to vote. It's a simple opportunity to refresh ourselves in the divine presence!

24 Hour Eucharistic Adoration

We will have our monthly 24 hours of Eucharistic Adoration beginning this Thursday, November 5th after the 6:30 a.m. Mass in the Meeting Room (door combination 1-3-5).

Adoration...Devotional Hour

During the 24 hours of Eucharistic Adoration on Thursday there will be a “special” devotional hour from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. This will include the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary and other prayers combined with time for private reflection.

First Friday Devotions

This Friday at 6:10 a.m. we will have traditional devotions in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, concluding with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

CCD Faith Formation Materials: Ready for Pickup!

The second round of materials for those who registered for the pandemic home-based CCD Faith Formation have arrived. Pickup will be **Wednesday, November 4th at 6 pm at the Parish Family Center**. Just simply stop by and they'll be ready

Safe Environment and Transportation

The parish has a new Coordinator for Safe Environment and Transportation policies. Leslie Chancellor has agreed to oversee this important aspect of parish life, and the parish is grateful to her for her willingness to take on this necessary responsibility.

“May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.”

Planning Ahead: 2021

Scheduling Mass Intentions

With the pandemic experience of these past months, many of the Mass Intentions scheduled at the end of last year in November of 2019 were not celebrated (example: nursing home and school Masses). Going forward, the opening of the 2021 calendar will be Monday, November 2nd. Those Mass intentions from this past year will be rescheduled in the new year. This means that there will be a surplus of Intentions already scheduled. Parishioners will be allowed to schedule **ONE Sunday Mass and ONE weekday Mass**. There is the possibility of combined intentions (where two families want a specific day - and they both agree to combining and then both intentions are listed). Even reducing the number to one each will still not open up the calendar greatly. So as to assist the number of weekends not being filled up so quickly--only ONE weekend Mass may be scheduled for a particular individual. Those who simply want to arrange for Masses (to be scheduled according to dates remaining open) may do so respecting a limit of ten. Near the end of 2021 those extra Masses not scheduled (due to lack of available dates) will be sent to the diocese where they are distributed to priests/parishes that do not have a surplus of intentions and where there are openings. This provides that Masses requested will be celebrated within a year. It's understood that this is not ideal--it's just dealing with the reality of everyone wanting weekends and finding ways to accommodate as many parishioner requests as possible. Recall that each weekend--of the four Masses--church law requires one Mass must be celebrated For the Parish Family. So, practically speaking, the parish has four weekend Masses (5pm, 7am, 9am, and 11am) and one of those four will always be set aside For the Parish Family.

Yoakum Knights of Columbus

16th Annual Sportsman's Giveaway

Tickets for the Yoakum Knights of Columbus 16th Annual Sportsman's Giveaway are available at the Pastoral Center or from any KC member. There are a total of 38 prizes to be given away. Tickets are \$10.00 each or 3 for \$25.00. Drawing will be held at the monthly KC meeting on November 11th.

Horario para misas del 2021

Como recordatorio para todos, empezaremos a programar las misas del 2021 el viernes, 2 de noviembre. Como ustedes saben los fines de semana se llenan rápidamente así que si está interesado en ver si están abiertas, por favor esté listo para venir en noviembre. Habrá una limitación de solamente una misa por un ser querido. Gracias.

Adoracion del Santissimo

Este Jueves vamos a tener nuestra hora de adoracion y devocion en espanol en el Salon Parroquial desde las 8:00 p.m. a las 9:00 p.m. Todos estan invitados a compartir su fe durante esta hora de alabanza y oracion.

Clase de Preparacion Bautismal

La clase de preparación bautismal será el primer Sabado, del mes, **Noviembre 7, a las 9:00 a.m.** en el Salon Parroquial. Hable con Susanna Trujillo para mas información.

Sanctuary Candle Intentions

As the new year calendar opens in November for Mass Intentions, the calendar will open for Sanctuary Candle Intentions as well. The offering covers the cost of the 51% beeswax candle that burns in the Church near the tabernacle. Just as we have a tradition of lighting vigil candles for special intentions, the sanctuary candle offering provides for the expense of this special candle that burns as a reminder Jesus is present in the tabernacle. A year allows for a possibility of approximately 52 weeks of Lamp Intentions. Again, with the limitation of time available and number of requests, the Sanctuary Candle Intention can be scheduled for **ONE** week for a particular person. To be noted is the reality that we actually have two sanctuary candles burning – one here and one at St. Ann. So as to allow more to utilize this much requested memorial – both candles will be available for sponsoring.

“Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest, says the Lord.”

Thank You from SJS PTC

St. Joseph School PTC would like to give a big thanks to all of our sponsors, parents, teachers, patrons and participants for making this year's Fall Festival a success! In uncertain times, when we have to adapt and change the way we're used to doing things, it means so much to know we can always count on the support of our friends in the community.

With lots of gratitude and wishes of blessings to you all!

St. Joseph PTC Officers

A Note from Principal Mooney

Wednesday, November 4th
Mass – 8:15 A.M.

Please call or stop by the school office and speak to Mr. Mooney if you are interested in enrolling your child(ren) in St. Joseph's. Take a tour of the school and learn more about what St. Joseph School has to offer.

Blue Santa Program

Applications for Blue Santa will be accepted at the Yoakum Police Dept. on Monday thru Thursday **ONLY** beginning **November 2nd** from:

9:00 – 11:30 A.M.

1:00 – 3:00 P.M.

Children ages 0 to 10 years

Last date to register – November 19th – 3:00 P.M.

All children being registered **MUST** have the required paperwork:

Valid identification

Proof of child attending school

Proof of residency

Gifts will be available for pick up via a drive-thru:

Saturday, December 19th

9:00 – 11:00 A.M.

Annex Bldg. behind the Fire Dept.

No arrangements will be made if you are unable to pick up the gifts on December 19th.

For further information regarding the Yoakum Police Dept. Blue Santa Program, contact Kathy Peoples or Yvonne Rodriguez at the YPD 361-293-5234.

SJS Fall Festival Raffle Winners

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| 1. \$1000 Visa Gift Card <i>Donated by SJS PTC</i> | Allison Mozisek |
| 2. \$500 Visa Gift Card <i>Donated by SJS PTC</i> | Lois Boysen |
| 3. \$500 Visa Gift Card <i>Donated by SJS PTC</i> | Vivian Page |
| 4. \$250 Visa Gift Card <i>Donated by SJS PTC</i> | Patty Mabry |
| 5. \$250 Visa Gift Card <i>Donated by SJS PTC</i> | Theresa Boening |
| 6. \$250 Visa Gift Card <i>Donated by SJS PTC</i> | Linda Machacek |
| 7. \$250 Visa Gift Card <i>Donated by SJS PTC</i> | Ainsley Vinklarek |
| 8. \$100 The Turquoise Cactus Gift Card - <i>Donated by The Turquoise Cactus</i> | Theresa Boening |
| 9. GCI Outdoor Rocking Chair <i>Donated by Yoakum General Store</i> | Debra Molina |
| 10. 4/ \$25 Flow Paddle Co. Gift Cfts. | Claudia Rodriguez |
| 11. Consuela Carmen Pouch <i>Donated by Bleu</i> | Jeff Chancellor |
| 12. Tailgate Feeder | Ava Prasek |
| 13. 4 Splashway Day Passes for 2021 <i>Donated by Splashway</i> | Ray Peagler |
| 14. 3 month Anytime Fitness Membership | Claud Jacobs |
| 15. \$100 Chick-Fil-A Party Pack & Swag - <i>Donated by Chick-Fil-A Victoria</i> | Melitta Vahalik |
| 16. Men's Pulsar Wrist Watch | Cindy Dekowski |
| 17. Sweet & Savory Party Basket <i>Donated by The Muddy Pig Co.</i> | Lisa Singer |
| 18. Radiant Express Facial & Gift Basket - <i>Donated by Bliss Med Spa</i> | Jen Adamek |
| 19. Rose Print Duffle Bag with personalization - <i>Donated by Embroidery Express</i> | Tracey Hines |
| 20. \$200 Mary Kay Gift Card <i>Donated by Jana Guajardo, Independent Beauty Consultant</i> | Elliott Chancellor |
| 21. Michael Kors Purse | Sharla Pohl |
| 22. Drill 20v max | Ramona Gomez |
| 23. 15.5" Bowie Knife | Anthony Harper |
| 24. GCI Outdoor Rocking Chair | Jennifer Chomout |
| 25. Gun Scope | Rose Seekamp |
| 26. Igloo Cooler <i>Donated by Morrow Hardware</i> | Joe Pena |
| 27. Coffee Pot | Sandra Stary |
| 28. Surge Protector <i>Donated by GVEC</i> | Nicholas Gomez |

Thank you to everyone who helped make our raffle a success by donating & purchasing!!! Winners will be contacted by a PTC officer to arrange pick up!!! Congratulations!!!