

THE 12TH ANNUAL
FOOTSTEPS IN FAITH BIBLE CONFERENCE

Saturday and Sunday, February 7th & 8th 2015
At Holy Spirit Catholic Church 9821 Frankford Avenue, Lubbock, Texas. Speakers for this event include Dr. Scott Hahn, Dr. Brant Pitre and Dr. Michael Barber.

Topics include:

- Jesus Christ: Foundation of the True Church
- Holy Scripture + Holy Tradition
- Peter + Apostles = Pope + Bishops
- Structure & Teaching Authority
- Witness & Writings of the Early Church Fathers
- Debunking Misconceptions & Misunderstandings

Brochures available at Holy Trinity Catholic Parish office or go to FootstepsInFaith.com to register and for more information.

ENGLISH ULTREYA

English Ultreya will be held Sunday, January 18, 2015 from 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM in the Family Center.

LENT LITURGICAL PLANNING MEETING

Planning meeting for the Lenten season will be Tuesday, January 27, 2015 at 7:00 PM in the Family Center.

**DIOCESAN HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH EVENT
ROCK 4 LIFE**

March 7, 2015

(Saturday, 10:00 AM-5:00 PM)

Sal Solo bringing the Respect Life message to the ipod generation...including the major Respect Life themes of Catholic Social Teaching in music-message-video-interaction. Youth event will be held at the Cathedral Church of the Sacred Heart Gym in San Angelo. Admission is \$15.00 and a sack lunch is required. Drinks will be provided.

Contact: Merlinda Moron or Dianna Valdez at CCE on Wednesdays if you would like to attend.

FLOCKNOTE MESSAGES

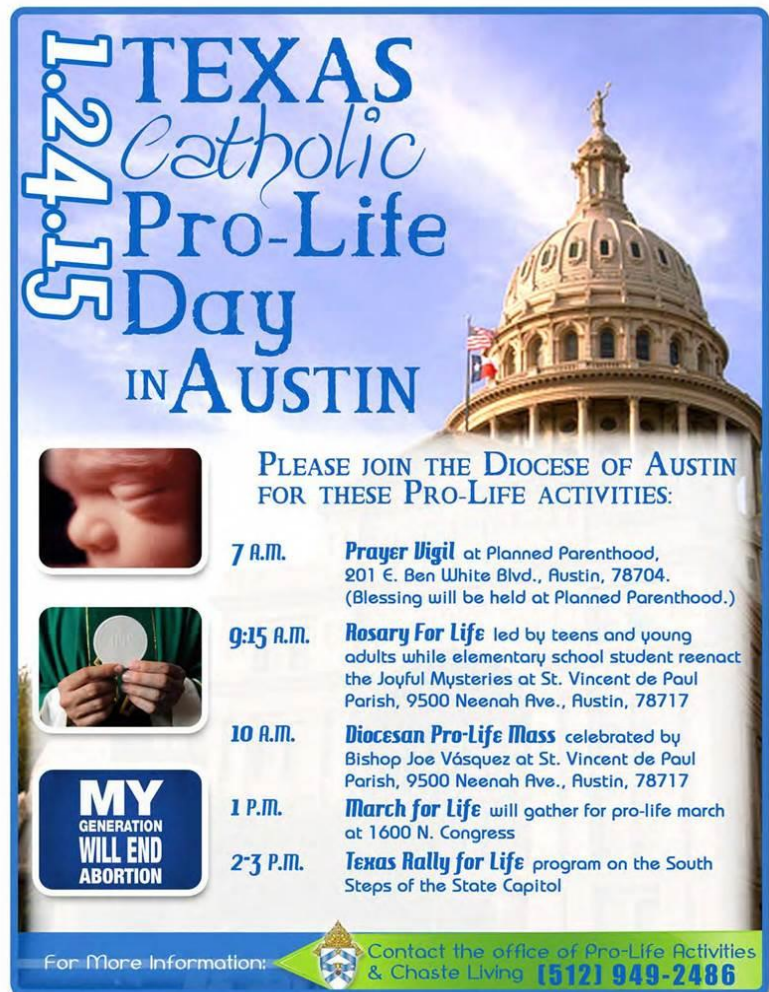
If you would like to be notified when Mass is cancelled due to weather or other circumstances please sign up by giving us your name, cellphone number and/or email. Paper is available in the pews or you can call the office. Our parishioner's safety is important to us.

GUADALUPE RADIO STATION

Guadalupe Radio Station will be here this weekend, January 10 and 11, 2015 to promote their fundraising raffle. Tickets will be available after all Masses.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

Saturday, January 24th is the Texas Catholic Pro-Life Day in Austin. Our Bishop will be there and would like to see us at this event. I have a bus reserved that will be leaving about 3:00 AM from the parking lot at Holy Angels. We should be back in San Angelo by 7:00 PM. It will be a long Day but the benefits of our actions far surpass the inconveniences. Contact Jerry Peters at 325-374-5300 if you plan to attend.




1.24.15 TEXAS Catholic Pro-Life Day IN AUSTIN

PLEASE JOIN THE DIOCESE OF AUSTIN FOR THESE PRO-LIFE ACTIVITIES:

- 7 A.M.** **Prayer Vigil** at Planned Parenthood, 201 E. Ben White Blvd., Austin, 78704. (Blessing will be held at Planned Parenthood.)
- 9:15 A.M.** **Rosary For Life** led by teens and young adults while elementary school student reenact the Joyful Mysteries at St. Vincent de Paul Parish, 9500 Neenah Ave., Austin, 78717
- 10 A.M.** **Diocesan Pro-Life Mass** celebrated by Bishop Joe Vásquez at St. Vincent de Paul Parish, 9500 Neenah Ave., Austin, 78717
- 1 P.M.** **March for Life** will gather for pro-life march at 1600 N. Congress
- 2-3 P.M.** **Texas Rally for Life** program on the South Steps of the State Capitol

MY GENERATION WILL END ABORTION

For More Information:  Contact the office of Pro-Life Activities & Chaste Living **[512] 949-2486**

Pro-life Hotline...1-800-395-HELP



January 11 - "There is no cause more important for preserving freedom than affirming the transcendent right to life of all human beings, the right without which no other rights have any meaning."—Pres. Ronald Reagan

"No es ninguna causa más importante para preservar la libertad que afirmando el derecho a la vida de todos los seres humanos, el derecho sin que otros derechos no tienen ningún significado trascendente."—Pres. Ronald Reagan

Ultreya- Todos los lunes, 7:00 PM en el salón de Holy Trinity Parish Hall.

Prayer Meeting – English – All are welcome on Wednesdays at 7 PM in East Room to join us for praise, teaching, and prayer for healing.

Prayer Meeting – Spanish –Todos los miércoles, 7:30 PM después de la Misa, en la capilla.

CHAOS
(Catholics Hyped About Our Savior)

Join **CHAOS, youth group**, at the next meeting, **January 11th from 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM**. New and old members always welcome. Hope to see you there!!

Catholic Inquiry Class

Do you know someone who is always asking you WHY DO CATHOLICS GENUFLECT, WORSHIP IDOLS, AND MARY?? Have a friend or loved one who is thinking about joining the Catholic Church, or are you a baptized Catholic adult in need of Reconciliation (Confession), First Communion, and Confirmation? Come join us at RCIA on Monday Nights 6:30-8:00 in the East Room. It's not too late!!
RCIA Schedule 2015
January 12th What is a Sacrament/ Baptism
January 19th No Class
January 26th Confirmation
February 2nd Eucharist
February 9th Penance and Reconciliation
February 16th Lent
February 18th Attend Ash Wednesday Services
February 23rd The Nicene Creed

SEMINARIAN OF THE MONTH NICK RUIZ



Nick is in his 1st year Philosophy at Conception Seminary and is from Odessa, Texas. Nick likes Thai food, putt-putt, go-karts and pool.
Please Pray for Our Seminarians!

SEARCH FOR CHRISTIAN MATURITY

The next Search is February 13-15, 2015 at Holy Family Church in Abilene. Teenagers, 16yrs old or Sophomores in high school, if you would like to attend a weekend of becoming closer to Our Lord, please consider signing up for the Search. Call Merlinda Morón, 432-213-3456 or the office, 714-4930, and obtain an application.

Catholic Christian Education (CCE)

If you have any questions please give us a call at 432-714-4930.

Grades	Place	Time	CRE
K,1,2,3,4,5	H.T. Hall	9:40 am – 10:50 am-Sundays	Richard Light
6, 7, 8, 9,10,11, 12	H.T. Family Center	6:40 pm - 8:00 pm Wednesday	Dianna Valdez

Starting Times:

Elementary on Sundays starts at 9:40 AM with music and dancing.

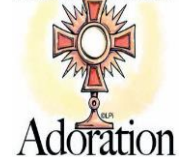
Jr. Hi/High school on Wednesdays starts at 6:30 PM with a snack and basketball!

Requirements for Baptizing:

To baptize infants we require Parents to provide the child's court issued Birth Certificate. Parents must be registered in the Church. Godparents must provide a copy of their Baptismal, First Communion, and Confirmation Certificates. Married Godparents will also need to provide their certificate of marriage in the Catholic Church. For more information, please call the Parish Office, 714-4930.

Bautismo de niños/as los papás necesitan presentar el certificado de nacimiento de la corte del niño(a). Los padres deben estar registrados en la iglesia. Los padrinos necesitan presentar sus certificados de Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación. Los padrinos casados deben de presentar su certificado de matrimonio en la iglesia católica. Para más información por favor llame a la oficina parroquial, 714-4930.

Eucharistic



Adoration

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Fridays starting after the 7:00 AM Mass till Noon in the side Chapel.

Pro-Life Rosary from 12 to 12:15 PM

Benediction - after the Rosary.

SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE
12/28/14

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	220	110
8:30 AM	104	53
11:00 AM	219	151
Total	543	314

SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE
01/04/15

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	220	155
8:30 AM	125	54
11:00 AM	277	170
Total	622	379

St. Vincent de Paul
270-5029

MSGR. GULLY'S SCHEDULE

Wednesday, January 14-Saturday, January 17, 2015
- Attending a Golden Anniversary in Sacramento, California.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

Second Collection this weekend Saturday, January 10th and Sunday, January 11st - St. Vincent de Paul - The funds help the needy people of Howard County and surrounding areas. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



Sunday Collection
12/28/2014

Envelope \$5,938.00
Loose 2,033.21
Total \$7,971.21

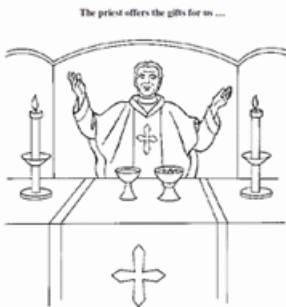
Average Collections per week needed: \$9,335.00

01/04/2015

Envelopes \$6,672.51
Loose \$1,484.53
Total \$8,157.04

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

"Stewardship is planned giving and does not leave giving to chance. It challenges us to plan. It asks us to appraise - deliberately - what we are doing with our time, our talent and our treasure."



UNDERSTANDING THE MASS

Liturgy of the Word:
The readings are done from a special book called the Lectionary, a word based on the Latin for "Book of Readings". Sometimes, especially on Sundays and more festive days, there is another special book for the readings of the Gospel, called the book of the Gospels. This is especially the book of the deacon, who always reads the Gospel at Mass if he is present.

Father Michael G. Witzcak
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COMPRENDER LA MISA

Liturgia de la palabra:
Las lecturas se realizan en un libro especial llamado el leccionario, una palabra basada en el latín para "Libro de lecturas". A veces, especialmente en los domingos y días festivos más, hay otro libro especial para las lecturas del Evangelio, llamado el libro de los evangelios. Este es especialmente el libro del diácono, que siempre lee el Evangelio en la misa, si está presente.

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St. Vincent de Paul members show their commitment through person-to-person contact. No work of charity is foreign to the Society. It includes any form of help that alleviates suffering or deprivation and **promotes human dignity and personal integrity in all their dimensions.**

The Society works not only with individuals in need but also with families and communities. It helps an excluded or deprived local community to develop a sense of responsibility and solidarity which leads it to improve its economic, social or environmental well-being, always retaining the personal contact of members with those in need.

PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED AND THE FAMILIES OF THE DECEASED:

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family of the late **Monika Kennemur and Carmen Morin** who died this past week. We commend their souls and the intentions of the family to our continuing prayers.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Homer and Joann Tomerlin, Trevino Tapia, Toni DeHoyos, Lulu Recio, Alonzo Landin, Linda Paredes, María Mendoza, Pablo Tovar, Doris Varley, Joe Hernández, Ignacia Rodríguez, Navi Hernández. Call the office at 714-4930 to add the names in the bulletin. **Only the person needing or immediate family member may request to be added to the prayer list.**



"You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased."

Mark 1:11

**Readings for the Week of
January 11, 2015**

Sunday The Baptism of the Lord Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11; Ps 29 or Is 12; Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9; Mk 1:7-11

Monday Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97; Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday Saint Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8; Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105; Mk 1:29-39

Thursday Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95; Mk 1:40-45

Friday Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78; Mk 2:1-12

Saturday Saint Anthony, Abbot Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19; Mk 2:13-17

Sunday Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40; 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42



SANCTUARY CANDLE

[HT] January 11 – Spec. Int. for Richard, Elsie & Vanessa Lopez

[St. Joseph] January 11 – Consuelo Morales



SATURDAY, January 10, 2015

- 5:00 PM – [HT] For the People; +Howard Stevens by Karen Stevens; +Simona Luna by Frances Torres; +Gilbert Cisneros by Fermin Gonzales; +Lencha Gamboa by Esperanza Mendoza; +George Martinez by Moreno Fam.; +Nora Valles by Esperanza Mendoza; Marina Nicholas Payen 5th B'day in Memory of Fernando Rodriguez; +Gilbert & +Edward Reyna by Demetria Reyna; +Natividad Diaz by M/M Jimmy Marin

SUNDAY, January 11, 2015

- 8:30 AM – [HT] +Valentin Corralez by Margie Corralez
- 11:00 AM – [HT] +Evangeline M. Sturm by Patsy & Roy Rohmfeld; Anita Valdez B'day by Dianna Valdez; +Arturo Arsiaga by Petra Rios-Rios; Accion de Gracias by T.J. & Mary Lou Stewart; +Lucia Manzanares by Ray R. Sanchez; +Manuela Galan by Isidoro Galan & Fam.; +Oscar Valencia Sr. by Arthur & Cruz Olague; +Evangeline M. Sturm by James & Flo Kellermier; For all Veterans by T.J. & Mary Lou

MONDAY, January 12, 2015

- 7:00 AM-[HT] MASS – Blessed Mother-Arthur & Cruz Olague 35th Anniversary by Family

- 1:30 PM-[State] Holy Souls by Mary Chavez

TUESDAY, January 13, 2015

- 7:00 AM [Chapel] MASS - Sagrado Corazon by Gary & Violanda Harris

WEDNESDAY, January 14, 2015

- 7:00 PM-[HT] COMMUNION SERVICE

THURSDAY, January 15, 2015

- NO MASS

FRIDAY, January 16, 2015

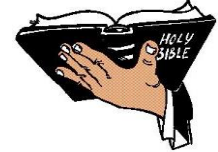
- 7:00 AM – [Chapel] COMMUNION SERVICE

SATURDAY, January 17, 2015

- 5:00 PM – [HT] +Leo Salazar, +Sammy Muñoz, +Simon, +Felipe Morón by Morón Family; +Daniel, +Eulalia, +Robert, +Juana Flores by Jose & Mary Martinez; +Diane, +Anthony Herrera & +2 Girls by Claudio & Luisa Lopez; +Lori, +Eddie Sr. DeLeon by Concha DeLeon; +Jose Damas Barrera & Sons by Gary & Violanda Harris; +Oscar Valencia by Joe & Mary Martinez; +Teresa Rocha by M/M Domingo Rocha; Elias & Grace Chavez by Cindy C. Rosa & Family; +Gilbert Cisneros by Fermin Gonzales

SUNDAY, January 18, 2015

- 8:30 AM – [HT] For the People; Elvira Marin by Leal Fam.
- 11:00 AM – [HT] +Evangeline M. Sturm by Patsy & Roy Rohmfeld; +Edwarda & +Moises Sr. Flores by Petra Rios-Rios; +Lucia Manzanarez by Ray Rejino Sanchez; +Paula & +Jose Ortega by Irma & Jose Ortega; +Lencha Gamboa by Isidoro Galan & Fam.; +George Martinez by Luz Martinez; +Diane, +Anthony Herrera & +2 Girls by Ramon & Jennifer Ramirez; +Moses Sr. & +Evelyn Flores by Nay & Dora Diaz; +Raul Rios-Rios by Petra Rios-Rios



Sunday's Reflections

1 John 5:1-9

TESTIMONY IN WATER AND BLOOD

If your organization hires a guest speaker, someone usually gives an introduction. You'll hear who the speaker is, as well as his or her accomplishments. Guest speakers have overcome some obstacles: They have graduated from school. They have written papers. They have generated new and successful ideas. They have influenced other people. They have faced opposition and continued steadfast in their belief. Some of them have had conversions. Some of them have shed blood. Before they stand up and speak, you hear an introduction, a testimony that bears witness.

The First Letter of John gives that kind of testimony about Jesus Christ. It calls him "the one who came through water and blood." John does not speak on his own: "The Spirit is the one who testifies, and the Spirit is truth. So there are three that testify, the Spirit, the water, and the blood, and the three are of one accord."

At his baptism, Jesus was announced as the Son of God. On the cross, his body was pierced with a lance, and water and blood poured out. At his baptism and at his death, in water and in blood, the Spirit bore witness that Jesus is the Son of God.

As we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord, we hear the testimony about Jesus. And we receive the challenge to add our voice to those of ages past. Jesus is the Son of God.

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