

**FESTIVAL PRIZES**
**Raffle drawing is Saturday, July 18, 2015**

The church has purchased these prizes, please consider donating towards the cost of the prizes for our summer festival:

1. 50"4K TV - \$600.00-donated
2. \$500 Walmart gift card-donated
3. \$400 Walmart gift card-donated
4. PS 4 - \$400.00-donated
5. **"X" box - \$400.00**
6. \$300 Academy gift card-donated
7. **Wii U - \$300.00**
8. \$300 Walmart gift card-donated
9. \$200 HEB gift card-donated
10. Electronic tablet - \$200.00-donated

**Ticket books will be available for pick up after all Masses. 40% of the ticket books have been given out. Don't pass up the chance of winning one of these great prizes, get your ticket books!**

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**20 DAYS TILL**  
**FESTIVAL TIME**
**SATURDAY, JULY 18<sup>TH</sup>!**

Friday, July 17<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 AM till 7:00 PM and Saturday, July 18<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 AM till all gone the Festival will be selling FOOD! ASADO PLATES! CARNE GUISADA PLATES! And GORDITA PLATES!

**Call 432-517-4491 for call in orders.**

On Saturday, July 18<sup>th</sup>, the FUN begins at 6:00 PM with GAMES! The Basketball, Football, and Baseball Throw! Duck Pond, Fish Pond, and Hole in One golf! Bingo! And many more games! **Raffle drawing will be Saturday, July 18<sup>th</sup>.** Join us for good food and fun games and live MUSIC!

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**BULLETIN ADS**

Spaces available on the back of the bulletin. If you would like to advertise your business or do an "In Memory of" message please contact Tina Watson, Trinity Publications either by phone 512-431-9413 or email TWatson@TrinityPublications.com



**Catholic Women's  
CONFERENCE**

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 28, & SATURDAY,  
AUGUST 29, 2015  
HENRY B. GONZALES CONVENTION  
CENTER  
SAN ANTONIO, TX.**

The Catholic Women's group is planning on attending the conference in San Antonio. There is still time to register.

If you would like to join the ladies please call Cruz Olague 432-935-3042 or come by the church office and register.

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**YOUTH GROUP FUNDRAISER**

The youth group will be having a fundraiser on Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup>. Come join us for a pancake breakfast after the 8:30 AM Mass or a Taco Plate with rice and beans after the 11:00 AM Mass. All proceeds go towards expenses for their Steubenville West trip.

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**DO YOU LOVE PIZZA?**

The youth group is having a fundraiser at the Pizza Inn on Monday, June 29, 2015 from 4:00 PM to 9:00 PM. The group keeps all tips and donations and they get 10% of buffet sales during the 4:00 PM to 9:00 PM time. So enjoy some pizza and help the youth! All proceeds go towards their Steubenville West trip.

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**PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING  
MINUTES JUNE 22, 2015**

1. Prayer: Msgr Gully
2. Mission Statement: Council
3. Approved 2015-2016 Budget
4. Report on the Parking lot improvement.
5. Report on Vacation Bible School. The council was very pleased and special thanks to Janie Porras, the director, the Youth Group and the adults who helped make it a success.
6. May 2015 ending balance in checking is \$24,800.00
7. Building Campaign balance as of June 17, 2015 \$990,392.00
8. Please notice new construction on the A/C wrap around.
9. August 4, 2015 will begin a new construction phase in the church. The old green carpet will be taken out and the asbestos will be abated with new carpet installed by August 20, 2015. During the weekends of August 8/9 and August 15/16 we will have weekend Masses in the Our Lady of Guadalupe Family Center. Please stay tuned to the announcements.
10. The Youth Group trip to Steubenville West is happening on July 10 - 12, 2015. 35 students and sponsors will make the trip.
11. Holy Trinity is hosting our first Christian Community Weekend on July 24-25, 2015. We are needing volunteers to cook breakfast, lunch, and dinner Banquet on Saturday, July 25, 2015. Call the office if you can help.
12. Festival Report: 7000 raffle tickets are handed out. All preparations are on schedule.
13. Benediction: Msgr. Gully

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



**June 28** Nearly four thousand innocent lives are taken by surgical abortion each day in this land of the free and home of the brave, whose lady holds high the torch of welcome to human life. What hypocrisy that a nation that welcomed human beings from all over the world now destroys their own preborn citizens.

**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.

**LADIES BIBLE STUDY**  
The Ladies Bible Study has finished their scripture study of John. They will be starting their new bible study in September. Please check bulletin for the starting date. All ladies are welcome to join the class in September!

**PRIESTHOOD DISCERNMENT RETREAT**  
This retreat is for young men 10th grade and older, who are discerning a call to the priesthood. Bishop Sis will be participating in the retreat. The retreat will be held at St. Elizabeth's in Odessa from Friday evening, July 31 to Sunday, August 2. There is no cost to attend the retreat. Registration and more information is available by calling the office, 714-4930.

**SEMINARIAN OF THE MONTH  
PRAVEEN LAKKISSETTI**



Praveen is in his 3rd Year Theology at Assumption Seminary. His birthday is October 19, 1985 and is from Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh, India. His favorite food is prawns. Praveen loves to sing and play Indian music on the key board!  
Please Pray for Our Seminarians!

**SEARCH FOR CHRISTIAN MATURITY**  
Teenagers, 16yrs old/Sophomores in high school, to attend a weekend of becoming closer to Our Lord, consider signing up for Search. Call Merlinda Morón, 432-213-3456 or the office, 714-4930, for an application. Please pray daily for SEARCH: new searchers who will be attending, the staff, sponsors, and SEARCH team.

**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.

**CHURCH FLOWERS**

Donations for Church flowers are being accepted at this time. Envelopes are available at the front of the church. Please place donation into collection basket or bring by the parish office.

**SUMMER MEALS FOR KIDS**

Big Spring ISD will be providing **free meals** at breakfast and lunch to **all children ages 1-18**.  
**Big Spring High School – Monday, June 29<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, June 30<sup>th</sup> Breakfast 8:00 AM to 9:00 AM; Lunch 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM**

**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.

**MARRIAGE**

Please call the office at least six months prior to planning wedding.

**SICK VISITATION**

Please call the office to give us the names of the people who would like to receive Holy Communion or have a visit from the priest.

**QUINCEAÑERA**

Two years of religious education is required. Please call the office for more information.

**THE SOVEREIGN AUTHOR**

The sovereign authority of God is different from human authority, however. His authority is never unjust or oppressive. In fact, the sovereignty of God is one of the most comforting and powerful expressions of his love.

-Pope Frances

**SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE  
06/21/15**

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	176	111
8:30 AM	138	84
11:00 AM	337	183
<b>Total</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>378</b>

**St. Vincent de Paul  
270-5029**

**MSGR. GULLY'S SCHEDULE**

**Tuesday, June 30 – Day of Rest**

**THIS WEEKEND SECOND COLLECTION-  
PETER'S PENCE**

**Second Collection the weekend of Saturday, June 27<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup> – Peter's Pence** – The Peter's Pence Collection enables the Holy Father to respond with emergency financial assistance to requests to aid the neediest throughout the world.

**HALL RENTAL**

The new policy on the hall rental was approved on January 26, 2015 by the parish council and Msgr. Gully. Rental fees are as follows:

Classroom	\$170
School Hall	\$270
OLG Family Center	\$420

Included in rental fee is \$120 insurance fee, which needs to be sent to the diocese 30 days before the event. A deposit of \$50 is required at the time of reservation.

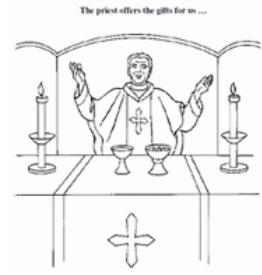


**Sunday Collection  
06/21/2015**

<b>Envelope</b>	<b>\$5,421.00</b>
<b>Loose</b>	<b>1,661.00</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,082.00</b>
Average Collections per week needed:	\$9,335.00
<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b>	<b>\$460.00</b>

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR  
GENEROSITY!**

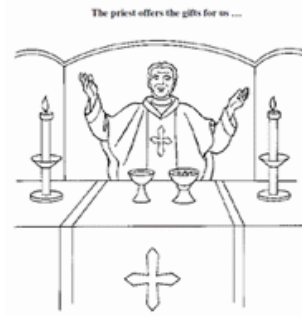
"Stewardship is planned giving and does not leave giving to chance. It challenges us to plan. It asks us to appraise – deliberately – what we are doing with our time, our talent and our treasure."



**UNDERSTANDING THE  
MASS**

**Liturgy of the Word:**  
In the homily, the priest explains the readings and prayers of the day. This is not simply a historical explanation, but an explanation of how the readings show us that God is alive and active in our world today, just as God was when the Bible was written.

Father Michael G. Witzcak  
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**COMPRENDER LA MISA**

**Liturgia de la palabra:**  
En la homilía, el sacerdote explica las lecturas y oraciones del día. Esto no es simplemente una explicación histórica, sino una explicación de cómo las lecturas nos muestran que Dios está vivo y activo en nuestro mundo de hoy, sólo Dios cuando la Biblia fue escrita.

Father Michael G. Witzcak  
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**PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED AND  
THE FAMILIES OF THE DECEASED:**

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family of the late **Ted Diaz and Esperanza 'Hope' Mendoza** who died this past week. We commend their souls and the intentions of the family to our continuing prayers.

**PRAYER FOR THE SICK**

Luis Flores Sr., Jose DoPorto, Ricky Alcantar, Elida Fuentes, Javier Hinojos, Jose & Irma Ortega, Margie Rodriguez, Joshua & Yvette Preston, Chila Cerrato, Agustín Gaitán Sr., Briana Mendoza. 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.**

**CURSILLO WEEKENDS**

Holy Trinity will be hosting the Men's Spanish Cursillo the weekend of **August 20-23, 2015, applicants are being accepted.**

If you would like more information please call the office 714-4930. Santísima Trinidad celebrará el Cursillo de hombres en español el fin de semana de **20-23 de agosto, candidatos para el Cursillo todavía estan aceptados.** Para más información por favor llame a la oficina 714-4930

Women's English Cursillo will be Thursday, September 24 thru Sunday, September 27, 2015, at St. Joseph Church in San Angelo.

Men's English Cursillo will be Thursday, October 22 thru Sunday, October 25, 2015, at St. Joseph Church in San Angelo.

If you would like more information on the Women's or Men's Cursillo please call the office 714-4930.



"Why this commotion and weeping?"

Mark 4:39

**Readings for the Week of  
June 28, 2015**

**Sunday Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24; Ps 30; 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

**Monday Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles** Day: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

**Tuesday The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church** Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26; Mt 8:23-27

**Wednesday Blessed Junipero Serra, Priest** Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34; Mt 8:28-34

**Thursday** Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115; Mt 9:1-8

**Friday Saint Thomas, Apostle** Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117; Jn 20:24-29

**Saturday** Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135; Mt 9:14-17

**Sunday Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a

**SANCTUARY CANDLE**

[HT] June 28 – Jose & Freddy Martinez

[St. Joseph] June 28 – Consuelo Morales



**SATURDAY, June 27, 2015**

- 5:00 PM – [HT] For The People; Jeno Flores by Luz Martinez; In Thanksgiving by Elyse Salazar; +Irma & +Deacon Horacio Yanez by Yanez Family; Walle & Sylvia Mendez Health by Freddy & Terry Martinez; +Raul Martinez by Paula Martinez; +Cruz Martinez by Amelia Martinez; +Elodia Holguin by Concha DeLeon; Health of Nora Landin by Mike & Josie Sanchez; +Aida Sanchez by Diane Ewing

**SUNDAY, June 28, 2015**

- 8:30 AM – [HT] +Abraham Espinoza by Martina Espinoza
- 11:00 AM – [HT] +Paul Patrick & +Carlota Rodriguez by Anita & Agustin Gaitan; Kimberly Paredes by Lisa Valencia; +Hijinio Moreno Sr. by Isabel Moreno; +Lou Stovall by Santos & Mary Lou Lujan; +Elodia Holguin by Jean Govea; +Ines Molina by Consuelo Morales; +Simon Correa Jr. by Lupe & Essie Ortiz; +Mary Lou Munoz by Jose Luis Munoz & Family; +Teddy Molina Jr. by Family

**MONDAY, June 29, 2015**

- 7:00 AM-[Chapel] +Marta Padron by Children
- 1:30 PM-[State] In Thanksgiving by Consuelo Morales

**TUESDAY, June 30, 2015**

- 7:00 AM [Chapel] +Damacia M. Duron by Diane Ewing

**WEDNESDAY, July 1, 2015**

- 7:00 PM-[HT] +Johnny Arispe Sr. by Sylvia S. Rocha

**THURSDAY, July 2, 2015**

- 7:00 AM – [Chapel] Sagrado Corazon by Garcia Family

**FRIDAY, July 3, 2015**

- 7:00 AM – [Chapel] Elizabeth Molina B'day by Ramona & Isabel

**SATURDAY, July 4, 2015**

- 5:00 PM – [HT] +Henry Valverde by Margie Valverde; +Concha Yanez by Terry & Freddy Martinez; +Aida Duron Sanchez by Mike & Josie Sanchez; Ralph Mendez Health by Freddy & Terry Martinez; +Ray Martinez by Paula Martinez; +Oscar & Steve Valencia by Amelia Martinez; +Demetrio & +Monica Rocha by M/M Domingo Rocha; +Aida Sanchez by Diane Ewing; Manuel Sanchez B'day by Diane Ewing

**SUNDAY, July 5, 2015**

- 8:30 AM – [HT] For The People; +Robert P. & +Juana Flores by Jose & Mary Martinez
- 11:00 AM – [HT] +Carlota Rodriguez by Gilbert & Martha Rubio; Isabel Moreno B'day by Luz Martinez; +Fred Olivas Jr. by Irene Dominguez; +Ruben & +Rosalía Billalba, +Santos & Erlinda Lujan by Family; +Frances McKiski by Family; +Oscar Valencia Sr. by Carol Valencia & Grandkids; Holy Trinity Parishioners by Lisa Valencia; +Eladio Zubiata by Rosalinda Gonzales; +Bobby Cordova & +Randy Nix by Lupe & Essie Ortiz



**Sunday's Reflections**  
2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

**STRAPPED FOR CASH**

Every pastor eventually asks for contributions, and Saint Paul was no exception. He had lived several years in Corinth, a city with an advantageous location, right on the isthmus that joined the upper and lower parts of Greece. There Paul founded a Christian community. Later, he sent letters to help the people grow in faith. He criticized the factions that were forming. He explained how to celebrate the Eucharist.

And he asked for money. Other Christian communities were not as well off as the Corinthians. It wasn't fair. The first Christians shared what they owned within these small communities. Paul saw a bigger picture. Just as people cared for one another within these groups, they should share among the groups as well.

"As a matter of equality," Paul appealed to the Corinthians, "your abundance at the present time should supply their needs." Paul had them imagine the tables reversed: "Their abundance may also supply your needs." Paul envisions a Church where those who had much "did not have more," and those who had little "did not have less."

From time to time we are asked to support the needy in other places. They may be within our own diocese, the nation, or the world. When we have the opportunity to share from our abundance, we are fulfilling a command that goes all the way back to Paul. "As you excel in every respect, may you excel in this gracious act also."

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