

2017 LENT-EASTER SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, APRIL 13th, Mass at 12:15 PM to 12:45 PM

Palm Sunday Weekend- April 8/9, 2017- Blessing of Palms for all Masses will be at the Saturday **5:00 pm** in **Our Lady of Guadalupe Family Life Center with procession to church.**

Holy Thursday- April 13, 2017- Holy Mass at 7:00 pm with foot washing. **Exposition of the Holy Eucharist in Our Lady of Guadalupe Family Center** with lighted candles till midnight.

Good Friday-Viernes Santo April 14, 2017-

3:00 pm-Stations of the Cross

6:00 pm-Procession of the Cross and Rosary

7:00 pm-Service of the Lord's Passion

Easter Vigil Mass/Holy Saturday-April 15, 2017- 8:30 pm – *Sábado Santo*

Easter Sunday Masses- April 16, 2017- 8:30 am - bilingual

11:00 am- ingles, English

Divine Mercy Sunday April 23, 2017 at 3:00 PM.

Sunday Weekend April 23, 2017 - Nominations of Pastoral Council

Sunday Weekend-April 29/30, 2017-1st Communions and Blessing of Expectant Mothers

Sunday Weekend- May 6/7, 2017- 1st Communions

Sunday Weekend- May 13/14, 2017- Mother's Day

Sunday Weekend May 20, 2017-Graduation Mass Saturday, Reception after 5:00 PM Mass

HOLY THURSDAY CANDLES

Holy Thursday Candles will be available, just call the office and place your order. Candles are \$4 each or \$48 per case. Please call the office, 714-4930, Monday thru Friday, from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

EASTER FLOWERS

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

COAHOMA PROPERTY FOR SALE

Holy Trinity is selling a 4 bedroom, 2 ½ bath brick home at 108 S. 5th St. in Coahoma. The home is 1926 square feet on 8 lots with a 2000 square foot metal shop building for \$200,000. The metal building is zoned as light commercial.

CHURCH OFFICE

The office will be closed Friday, April 14th in observance of Good Friday.

Monday, April 3, 2017

Our youth group volunteered their Sunday afternoon, April 2, 2017 to put our new missalettes in our Mass prayer books. This takes several hours to complete.

I am so encouraged and pleased with our young church. We are blessed to have such an active young church. Please be sure and offer a special thanks to the youth who changed the missalettes.

Thank you, young church, job well done!

Monsignor Bernard L. Gully

Pastoral Council Minutes March 27, 2017

Members Present: Rob Haney, Bobby Porras, Merlinda Moron, Pedro Sorola, Tim Green,

Members Absent: Edward Aguero, Candido Gonzales, Mary Lou Lujan

1. Invocation: Msgr. Gully
2. Mission Statement: Pastoral Council
3. Rob Haney motioned to approve Feb. 27, 2017 minutes, Bobby 2nd, passed unanimous
4. New Carpet collection: \$53,080.00
5. Richard Light reported that the construction is moving ahead at St. Joseph church, sheet rocking the walls. Merlinda Moron motioned to upgrade the kitchen counter top to solid surface like granite, Bobby 2nd, passed unanimous.
6. Day Care is still being studied. The council is considering a parish survey to discern need and support.
7. Lone Star youth trip. Merlinda Moron reported that 30 people are still planning to go. Getting ready for Jump Rope fundraiser on Sunday, April 30, 2017.
8. Lenten Liturgy schedule was studied.
9. The festival (June 9 and 10, 2017). Raffle tickets will be ready after Easter.
10. Our Sunday Visitor is helping with an Increased Offering program.
11. Lenten Luncheon at Methodist church went well.
12. Tuesday, April 25, 2017 the **Regional** Rural Life luncheon will be hosted by Holy Trinity. Everyone is doing advanced work to make it a success.
13. The council encouraged a security camera system to be installed in all buildings.
14. Jose Villagrana summarized his progress in the diaconate training.
15. Benediction: Fr Matthiesen

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

Apr. 9 "An old Irish proverb says, 'It is in the shelter of each other that the people live.' Indeed, we are created to depend upon one another and walk together in suffering."

Caring for Loved Ones at Life's End USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, 2016-17 Respect Life Program

For those nearing the end of life: May the grace of God shine through the care of medical professionals, family, and friends; We pray to the Lord:

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.

PRAYER MEETING – ENGLISH

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

MARRIAGE

Please call the office, 714-4930, at least six months prior to planning wedding.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Ladies Bible Study meets every Tuesday at 12:00 PM in the East Room. Please join for great studies and fellowship.

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?

Classes on Mondays at 6:30 PM in the East Room.

April 10th - The Meaning of Holy Week and Triduum

**SEMINARIAN OF THE MONTH
RYAN RAMIREZ**



Ryan is 3rd Year Philosophy at Conception Seminary. His birthday is July 3, 1994 and is from Odessa, TX. His favorite food is Buffalo Wild Wngs. Ryan likes playing sports or just being with friends.

Please Pray for Our Seminarians!

SEARCH FOR CHRISTIAN MATURITY

The Search for Christian Maturity, a weekend Catholic program for high school and college-age people of our Diocese. Jesus' answer too many of our problems are presented. It promises to be a worthwhile weekend. If you are interested in attending, contact Merlinda Morón or the church office, 714-4930.

SICK VISITATION

If Catholics cannot come to church, then the church comes to them (priest/communion). Please call the office, 714-4930, to give us the names of the people who would like to receive Holy Communion or have a visit from the priest.

AGRICULTURAL LEADER WORKSHOP IN BIG SPRING

The Diocese of San Angelo and Catholic Rural Life invite you to participate in Vocation of the Agricultural Leader Workshop 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Tuesday, April 25, 2017 at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Big Spring. This workshop is for anyone involved or interested in agriculture -- producers, processors, consumers and anyone willing to consider how our Catholic faith informs all aspects of agriculture.

The workshop will include a presentation of a newly released document titled Vocation of the Agricultural Leader. Most Rev. Michael Sis will participate. Jim Ennis, executive director of Catholic Rural Life, is the keynote presenter.

Contact Dcn. Charlie Evans at cevens@sanangelodiocese.org to make your reservation or call 432-634-6170 with questions.

A \$20 workshop fee includes a copy of Vocation of the Agricultural Leader and lunch prepared and served by Holy Trinity parishioners.

HALL RENTAL

The new policy on the hall rental was approved on January 26, 2015 by the parish council and Msgr. Gully.

The **deposit of \$50 is required** at the time of reservation.

The **insurance fee** must be sent to San Angelo Diocese **30 days before the event.**

Classroom Rental:

Deposit \$50- Rental \$50- Insurance \$120

School Hall Rental:

Deposit \$50- Rental \$150- Insurance \$120

OLG Family Center Rental:

Deposit \$50- Rental \$300- Insurance \$120

SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE

04/02/17

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	220	150
8:30 AM	115	90
11:00 AM	360	178
Total	695	418

St. Vincent de Paul
270-5029

PRIESTS' SCHEDULE

Msgr. Bernard Gully:

Monday, April 10, 2017 – Day of Rest

Fr. Sam Matthiesen:

Thursday, April 6, 2017 2:00 PM – Vocation Team Meeting, San Angelo

Friday, April 14, 2017 – Day of Rest

Msgr. Gully and Fr. Matthiesen:

Thursday, April 6, 2017 11:00 AM – Chrism Mass, San Angelo

CURSILLO WEEKENDS

Cursillo is a movement of the Church that promotes Catholic ideals, fellowship, and spiritual growth in daily living. It provides an opportunity to deepen your Catholic faith, and to experience the love of God within a supportive and prayerful community. The Cursillo is a method of giving those, who have the potential of influencing others, a personal encounter with Christ and the means to further enhance, support, and spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ through evangelizing their environments. The Cursillo Movement is hosting two upcoming weekend encounters at Holy Trinity Catholic Parish. **Mens English Weekend, June 22-25, 2017. Womens English Weekend July 13-16, 2017.** For more information, please contact Parish Office at (432)714-4930.



Sunday Collection

04/02/2017

Envelope	\$6,033.00
Loose	\$2,132.15
Total	\$8,165.15

NEW CARPET PROJECT

As of February 19, 2016

\$53,080.00

Goal: \$75,000

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
GENEROSITY!**

“Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions.” Luke 12:15

The Gospel message is so contrary to our modern culture where advertising continually tries to convince us that our value lies in the things we possess. Jesus showed us that our true value lies in the way we live our lives. He challenges us to not store up or hoard material possessions, but rather to live a grateful and generous lifestyle.



SCHEDULE OF ENGLISH ULTREYAS

All are invited to come and enjoy the fellowship.

Tuesday, April 18, 2017, 7:00 PM in East room

Tuesday, May 2, 2017 7:00 PM in East Room.

Tuesday, May 16, 2017 7:00 PM in East Room.

SPANISH ULTREYA

Todos los lunes, 7:00 PM en el salón de St. Frances.

Todos están invitados a venir y disfrutar de la beca.

Retreat to Your “Inner Room.”

When he taught his disciples how to pray, Jesus told them: “Go to your inner room, close the door, and pray to your Father in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will repay you” (Matthew 6:6). This “inner room” is not a physical place. It is an interior place in our hearts, the deepest part of who we are. It’s a place of quiet, where we can meet the Lord personally.

(Pope Benedict XVI, Address to the Rome Diocesan Congress, June 23, 2006)

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

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family of the late **Fred Rubio**, who died this past week. We commend their souls and the intentions of the family to our continuing prayers.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Gilbert Duron, Juan Robles, Socorro Escanuelas, Martina Espinoza, Albert Sanchez, Angie Arenivaz, Joanie González, Domingo Cerato, Chila Cerrato, Angela Torres, Melba Chavez. 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.**

**Readings for the Week of
 April 9, 2017**

Sunday Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Mt 21:1-11; Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14—27:66 or 27:11-54

Monday Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14; Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15-17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34; Mt 26:14-25

Thursday of Holy Week Chrim Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89:21-22, 25 and 27; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21 Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15

Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday) Is 52:13—53:12; Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a; Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35; or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22; Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11; Ex 14:15—15:1; Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18; Is 54:5-14; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13; Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6; Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3,4; or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 or Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Rom 6:3-11; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Mt 28:1-10

Sunday Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10 or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Lk 24:13-35


SATURDAY, Apr. 8, 2017

- 5:00 PM – [HT] +Wilbert Gully by *Dennis & Barbara Fuchs*; Ray DeLeon B'day by *Lucy F. Chavarria*; St. Jude by *Nellie Robles*; Mary Lou Saldana by *Margie Valverde*; St. Anthony Mary Claret by *Rita Franco*; +Flora Salazar by *Beatrice Rocha*; +Flora Salazar by *M/M Jimmy Marin*; +Becky Torres by *Mary Chavez*; Alicia Martinez by *Salazar Family*

SUNDAY, Apr. 9, 2017

- 8:30 AM – [HT] +Orveta DeLeon by *Tony DeLeon*
- 11:00 AM – [HT] FOR THE PEOPLE; +Aida D. Sanchez by *Diane Ewing*; +Jesus & +Flora Loya by *Jesus & Lupe Loya*; +Sylvia & +Gilbert Hinojos by *Elida Hinojos*; Enrique Jr. & Mike Hinojos by *Delma Valencia*; +Becky Torres by *Mary Chavez*; For All Veterans by *T.J. Stewart*; +Jonathan Patton by *Patton Family*; +Manuela Galindo by *Cecilia Trevino*; +Hijinio Moreno Sr. by *Isabel Moreno*

MONDAY, Apr. 10, 2017

- 7:00 AM [HT] St. Joseph-Thanksgiving by *Jean Govea*

TUESDAY, Apr. 11, 2017

- 7:00 AM [HT] St. Jude-Thanksgiving by *Jean Govea*

WEDNESDAY, Apr. 12, 2017

- 7:00 PM [HT] +Santos Duron by *Diane Ewing*

THURSDAY, Apr. 13, 2017

- 10:00 AM [BSSH] NO MASS
- 12:15 PM [HT] NO MASS

FRIDAY, Apr. 14, 2017

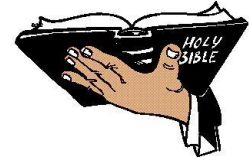
- 7:00 AM – [HT] NO MASS

SATURDAY, Apr. 15, 2017

- 8:30 PM – [HT] FOR THE PEOPLE; Terry Martinez B'day by *Luz Martinez*; St. Rita by *Nellie Robles*; Jesus the True Physician by *Rita Franco*; +Joe Sr., +Olivia, +Joe Jr., +J.J. by *Beatrice Rocha*; +Josie DeLeon by *M/M Jimmy Marin*; +Becky Torres by *M/M Jimmy Marin*; Mary Powell B'day by *Angie Foster*; +Flora Salazar by *M/M Jimmy Marin*; In Thanksgiving-Our Lady of Guadalupe by *Demetria & Lisa*

SUNDAY, Apr. 16, 2017

- 8:30 AM – [HT] San Judas Tadeo Apostol by *Jose Enrique Gonzalez*
- 11:00 AM – [HT] +Aida D. Sanchez by *Diane Ewing*; +Elizabeth J. Becker by *Larry & Carol Becker*; St. Anthony Mary Claret by *Rita Franco*; +Sylvia & +Gilbert Hinojos by *Elida Hinojos*; Christopher, Timothy & +Steven Jr. by *Delma Valencia*; Special Intention-Delma & Virginia by *Delma Valencia*; +Trini & +Arturo Arsiaga by *M/M Jimmy Marin*; St. Francis-Protection of Animals by *T.J. Stewart*; Deceased Bustamante Family Members by *Cecilia Trevino*


Sunday's Reflections
Philippians 2:6-11
EXTREME LIFE

On Palm Sunday, we experience the greatness and the poverty of the human spirit. As Jesus entered Jerusalem, the crowds acclaimed him as the Son of David. But as he stood trial before Pilate, the same crowds called for his crucifixion.

On Palm Sunday, near the end of Lent, we have come in touch with the greatness and poverty of our own lives. Throughout this season, we have reflected on our sin, but we have also experienced God's grace in communion, community, and Scripture.

On Palm Sunday, we also hear about the greatness and poverty of Jesus. Jesus was in the form of God, but he took on human form. He had all greatness as God, but he did not cling to it.

St. Paul's Letter to the Philippians says, "Rather, he emptied himself, taking the form of a slave." Jesus humbled himself to become like us and to experience what we experience—even death. "Because of this, God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name."

Sometimes in a single day we experience unfettered joy and inconsolable grief. A child is born, but someone dies. We receive mercy from a stranger, but we fail to love our neighbor. The extremes of human life are vast. But Christ came to us embracing both extremes and all that is in the middle. All, all human life he redeems and makes his own.

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SANCTUARY CANDLE
[HT] April 9 – Manuela Morón