

CELEBRATING FATHER SERAFIN'S BIRTHDAY!



Father Serafin's birthday is being celebrated on Sunday, August 18th after the 11:00 AM Mass, in the Family Center.

Join us in wishing him a HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

HOMEcomings MUMS & GARTERS

Orders for Homecoming Mums and Garters will be taken after the Masses starting August 17 & 18th. Mums for Coahoma, Big Spring, Forsan and Sands.

All proceeds are for the Youth Group activities. Support the Youth and receive a beautiful mum.

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH

Youth group is sponsoring a Back to School Bash on **Sunday, August 25th for all 6th thru 12th grades.**

Join us from 12:30 PM to 2:30 PM in the Family Center.

We will be having food, games and chances to win prizes.

Let's get the new school year started right!

RELATIONAL MEETING TRAINING

Emily Bounds will be here Sunday, August 25, 2019 at 3:00 PM to do training on Relational Meetings and how they can help.

All Church Organizations are invited to attend, including all Catechists.

If you plan to attend, please call the office and RSVP so as to have enough materials and snacks.

QUOTE OF POPE FRANCIS

Be active members! Go on the offensive! Play down the field, build a better world, a world of brothers and sisters, a world of justice, of love, of peace, of fraternity, of solidarity. (7/27/13, Vigil)

HOLY TRINITY RAFFLE WINNERS!!

1. 3-4 Day Cruise for 2 – Luis Melendez
2. Samsung 8 Phone – Esteban Vidana
3. \$500 Walmart Gift Card – Alice Trevino
4. \$400 Walmart Gift Card – Jesus Gonzalez
5. \$300 Walmart Gift Card – Lori Carrillo
6. \$300 Academy Gift Card – Craig Wyrick
7. \$200 Walmart Gift Card – Alice Salcido
8. \$200 HEB Gift Card – Kevin Ramirez
9. Bicycle – Lupe Miranda

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR WINNERS!

CURSILLO WEEKENDS

Men's Spanish Cursillo will be at St. Joseph in San Angelo the weekend of September 12-15. The Women's Spanish Cursillo will be at Holy Redeemer in Odessa the weekend of October 10-13. If you are interested in attending either one please call the office or Candido Gonzalez, 432-271-2639; Rosalia Colazo, 806-215-412

THE BIBLE TIMELINE: STORY OF SALVATION

This is a fascinating Bible Study that will take you on a journey through the entire Bible.

It will take you deep into each period of salvation history and discover the amazing story woven throughout all of Scripture.

The study will begin in September. The material may be ordered thru the Ascension Press site. Cost of the material is \$35.95 plus shipping & handling.

If you need assistance in the process of ordering call the office, 432-714-4930.

CCE REGISTRATIONS

Registration date has been set – **Wednesday, August 28, 2019 at 6:30 PM till 8:00 PM** in the Family Center. This year we will be asking for \$10 per family to help offset the cost of the curriculum.

Classes for 1st grade thru 12th grade will be on **Wednesdays from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM**. Class calendars will be given on registration day.

Excited to start the new year! See you on REGISTRATION DAY!

RCIA CATECHISTS

Are you being called to catechize new or returning Catholics? If you are, call Joe Jacobo 432-466-9703 or the office, 432-714-4930.

Training and support will be provided.

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

VOCATION PRAYER

Father you call each one of us by name and ask us to follow you.

Bless your church by raising up dedicated and generous leaders from our families and friends who will serve your people as Sisters, Priests, Brothers, Deacons, and Lay Ministers.

Inspire us as we grow to know you, and open our hearts to hear your call.

We ask this in Jesus name Amen.

HALL RENTAL

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

Classroom Rental:

Deposit \$50- Rental \$50- Insurance \$100

School Hall Rental:

Deposit \$50- Rental \$150- Insurance \$100

OLG Family Center Rental:

Deposit \$50- Rental \$300- Insurance \$100

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.**

RCIA

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?

All interested in RCIA, may call the office and sign up for the fall, classes will start in September. This is for newcomers and those already in the program. If you have questions please call the office, 432-714-4930.

¿Tiene un amigo o ser querido que esté pensando en unirse a la Iglesia Católica, o es usted un adulto católico bautizado que necesita Reconciliación (Confesión), Primera Comunión y Confirmación?

Todos interesados en RICA, por favor de llamar la oficina, clases empiezan en septiembre. Esto es para los recién llegados y los que ya están en el programa. Si tiene alguna pregunta, llame a la oficina al 432-714-4930.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN INITIATION 'CCI'

CCI CLASS is off for the summer. Classes will resume in September. Dates will be posted in the bulletin.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING

All are welcome on **Wednesdays at 6:30 PM** in East Room to join us for praise, teaching, and prayer for healing. Potluck on every 1st Wednesday of the month.

Formed.org

Have you logged on to the see all the available videos, books and studies that can be done on this site?

Go to formed.org, click on ENTER CODE, enter the Parish Code **NJK8TT** and enjoy! This is a free subscription. If you experience any problems, please call the office and we can assist.

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.

Si los católicos no pueden venir a la iglesia, entonces la iglesia viene a ellos (sacerdote / comunión).

Llame a la oficina al 714-4930 para darnos los nombres de las personas que desean recibir la Santa Comunión o recibir una visita del sacerdote.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Anointing of the Sick is available by calling the office, 432-714-4930. If you have anyone needing the anointing call the office. Please do not wait till the last minute to call.

La Unción de los Enfermos está disponible llamando a la oficina, 432-714-4930. Si tiene alguien que necesite la unción llame a la oficina. Por favor, no espere hasta el último minuto para llamar.

REQUIREMENTS FOR BAPTIZING:

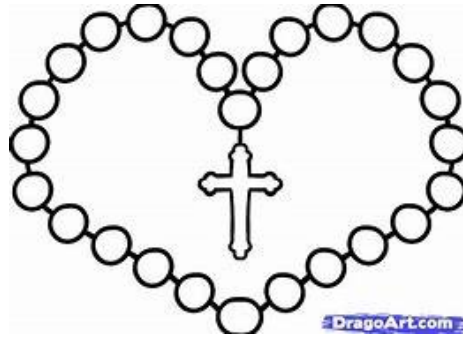
To baptize a child we require Parents to provide the child's court-issued Birth Certificate. Parents must be registered in the Church. Godparents must provide a copy of their Baptismal, First Communion, and Confirmation Certificates. Married Godparents will also need to provide their certificate of marriage 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.

**SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE
08/11/2019**

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	165	106
8:30 AM	165	76
11:00 AM	225	153
Total	555	341

PRAY THE ROSARY



**Readings for the Week of
August 18, 2019**

Sunday Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

Monday Saint John Eudes, Priest Jgs 2:11-19; Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44; Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday Memorial of Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church Jgs 6:11-24a; Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday Memorial of Saint Pius X, Pope Jgs 9:6-15; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary Jgs 11:29-39a; Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Mt 22:1-14

Friday Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Mt 22:34-40

Saturday Feast of Saint Bartholomew, Apostle Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Jn 1:45-51

Sunday Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 66:18-21; Ps 117:1, 2; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30

Faithfully United as the Trinity

Unidos Fielmente como la Trinidad



**Sunday Collection
08/11/2019**

Envelope	\$5,470.50
Loose	\$1,324.00
Children's	\$13.00
Total	\$6,807.50

St. Vincent \$2,317.36

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
GENEROSITY!**



JUNE 2019

Monthly Income for June
\$34,316.94

Monthly Expenses for June
\$35,985.10

CCE CLASSES

CCE classes will resume in September. Registrations for the 2019-2020 year will be Wednesday, August 28, 2019.

Be safe and enjoy your summer!



**SCHEDULE OF ENGLISH
ULTREYAS**

All are invited to come and enjoy the fellowship on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month at 7:00 PM in the East room.

SPANISH ULTREYA

Todos los lunes, 7:00 PM en el salón de escuela. Todos están invitados a venir y disfrutar de la beca.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Join us at 12:00 PM on Wednesdays in the East Room for our Ladies Bible Study.

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

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

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Alexis Romero, Natalia Heredia, Rosanna Aguilar, Terry Martinez, Nathaneal Hernandez, Alice Salazar, Pillar Yanez, Ronnie Ruiz, Valentin Garcia. 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.**

Reflexiones del domingo
Hebreos 12: 1-4
ENFRENTANDO EL DESAFÍO

Establece tus metas altas. Pensar en ellos te traerá alegría. Pero no se desespere si son difíciles de cumplir. Alcanzar tus objetivos siempre es una lucha.

En la vida cristiana, los obstáculos obstaculizan nuestros objetivos. Pero la mayoría de nosotros no enfrentamos los obstáculos de la Iglesia primitiva. Esos cristianos fueron perseguidos por su fe. Algunos de ellos fueron tentados a abandonar a Cristo. En su lucha contra el pecado, algunos de ellos resistieron hasta derramar sangre. Eso no nos ha pasado a la mayoría de nosotros.

Aún así, el pecado nos tienta de muchas maneras. Muchos jóvenes, por ejemplo, se fijan metas altas: no abusar de las drogas, no fomentar el racismo, no tener relaciones sexuales fuera del matrimonio, no cometer actos de violencia, no beber y conducir. Pero esos objetivos son difíciles de alcanzar. La tentación aparece todos los días.

La Carta a los Hebreos dice que podemos aumentar nuestra resistencia al reflexionar sobre la perseverancia de los demás. Arrojaron los pecados que los mantenían lejos de sus objetivos. "Dado que estamos rodeados de una gran nube de testigos, libémonos de toda carga y pecado que se nos aferra y perseveremos en la carrera que tenemos ante nosotros mientras mantenemos nuestros ojos fijos en Jesús".

Él soportó la cruz, "para que no te canses y te desanimas". Establece tus metas altas. Y conócelos con Cristo.

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SATURDAY, August 17, 2019

5:00 PM Mass – [HT] +Elvira, +Jose Sr., +Lupe & +Jose Jr
by *Elsa Hilario*

SUNDAY, August 18, 2019

- 8:30 AM Mass – [HT] For the People
- 11:00 AM Mass – [HT] +Larry Redding by *Celia Redding*

MONDAY, August 19, 2019

- 10:30 AM [Parkview] Deceased Family Members by Victor & Alicia Torres

TUESDAY, August 20, 2019

- 12:15 PM Nina Alviar B'day by *Sylvia S. Rocha*

WEDNESDAY, August 21, 2019

- 7:00 PM +Robert Anderson by *Wanda Anderson*

THURSDAY, August 22, 2019

- 10:00 AM Communion Service [BSSH]
- 12:15 PM Ronnie R. Mendoza by *Gary T & Violanda Harris*

FRIDAY, August 23, 2019

- 7:00 AM Mass [HT] +Joe Guzman by *Lillie Guzman & Family*

SATURDAY, August 24, 2019

5:00 PM Mass – [HT] *Sylvia S. Rocha-Special Intention* by *Salazar Family*

SUNDAY, August 25, 2019

- 8:30 AM Mass – [HT] For the People
- 11:00 AM Mass – [HT] +Pedro & +Manuela Baltazar by *M/M Steve Escanuelas*

SANCTUARY CANDLE


August 18 – *Sylvia S. Rocha*

Sunday's Reflections
Hebrews 12:1-4
MEETING THE CHALLENGE

Set your goals high. Thinking about them will bring you joy. But do not despair if they are hard to meet. Reaching your goals is always a struggle.

In Christian life, obstacles hamper our goals. But most of us are not facing the obstacles of the early Church. Those Christians were persecuted for their faith. Some of them were tempted to abandon Christ. In their struggle against sin, some of them resisted to the point of shedding blood. That has not happened to most of us.

Still, sin tempts us in many ways. Many young people, for example, set high goals for themselves: not to abuse drugs, not to foster racism, not to have sex outside of marriage, not to commit acts of violence, not to drink and drive. But those goals are hard to reach. Temptation appears every day.

The Letter to the Hebrews says we can build up our endurance by reflecting on the perseverance of others. They shed the sins that kept them from their goals. "Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us rid ourselves of every burden and sin that clings to us and persevere in running the race that lies before us while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus."

He endured the cross, "in order that you may not grow weary and lose heart." Set your goals high. And meet them with Christ.

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