

August 11, 2019

Ordinary Time  
Nineteenth Sunday



### We Live By Faith

As part of the lengthy *training session* Jesus conducted for disciples as they made their way to Jerusalem, today's gospel passage continues to teach us that faith can enable us to overcome fear. Thus, freed from fear we can give ourselves entirely to the service of the Kingdom. As stewards of this world's goods, we are responsible for caring for and sharing these goods with our fellow servants. In this way, all will be prepared for welcoming Jesus upon his return.

Flowers for the August 15, Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mass are donated by the K.J.Z.T. St. Anne's Society #4.



### MASS INTENTIONS



Wednesday, August 14

5:30 p.m. The Success of the Picnic

Thursday, August 15

10:00 a.m. The Welfare of All Parishioners

Saturday, August 17

4:30 p.m. Albina, Louis & Mary Ann Smolik

Sunday, August 18

8:00 a.m. Henrietta & George Migl

### Full, Conscious and Active Participation in the Liturgy

Next weekend is *The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time*. Prepare for the liturgy by reflecting on these passages from your Bible.

First Reading: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 40

Second Reading: Hebrews 12:1-4

Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

The Sanctuary Light  
will be lit this week  
in memory of Mary Ann & Emil Lev.



### The Assumption of Mary – Thursday, August 15

#### Mass Schedule

Moulton: August 14, Nursing Home, 10:30 a.m.  
August 15, 8:00 a.m.

Praha: August 14, 5:30 p.m.  
August 15, 10:00 a.m.

Bishop Fellhauer will be the main celebrant at the 10 A.M. Mass in Praha.

### REFLECTION

#### Proactive Faith

According to an ancient Jewish legend, when Moses lifted his staff and outstretched his arm over the Sea of Reeds, the sea did not divide itself to leave a dry passage for the escaping Israelites. It was not until the first man had jumped into the sea did the waves recede. It is this quality of proactive faith that the author of *Wisdom* talks about today. The writer underscores his faith in the God who chose the Israelites, directed, supported and provided for them in the desert. For their part, the Israelites were to remember God's goodness, be grateful for God's blessings and live in faith-filled response to God's love.

In the Letter of the Hebrews, the second reading Abraham is offered as an example of faith. He did not see the prosperity and the land God has promised him. Nevertheless, he believed and by faith moved in the direction God told him. Like Abraham and the Jew who jumped into the Sea, we are challenged to cultivate a proactive faith so as to continue to move, sight unseen, in the direction of those things in which we believe.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

August 11 – Lori Janecka

August 12 – Stephen Decker, Steven Hill

August 13 – Christina Lesikar

August 16 – Johnnie Hoffman, Edith Kalina

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

August 12 – Elaine & Johnnie Hoffman

August 17 – Gayle & Stephen Hill

### Plates To Go At Picnic

• **TO PICK UP BUSINESS PLATES:** Take F.M. 1295 to Praha, turn on South Knezek Road to the Hall. Make a left turn onto the gravel road behind the hall. Follow the signs to the Business Plates pick up station.

• **TO PICK UP INDIVIDUAL PLATES TO GO:** Take Highway 90 turn on South Knezek Road to Praha Hall. Make a right turn onto the gravel road behind the hall. Follow the signs to the Drive-Thru Individual Plates-To-Go pick up station.

The walk up Plates To Go line will still be available.

# CHURCH PICNIC BULLETIN BOARD

## 164<sup>TH</sup> PRAŽSKÁ POUT – THURSDAY, AUGUST 15

### Meat Fund Donations

Our Goal This Year ..... \$12,000  
 Donations So Far This Year ..... \$10,470  
 Last Year's Food Cost ..... \$25,106.11  
**Total No of Donors so far ..... 69**  
**No of Parishioners who have given so far ... 41**  
**No of Non-Parishioners who have given .... 28**

*We thank the following for their recent contributions:*

|  |                        |
|--|------------------------|
| Johnny Alvarado - \$25                           | Bernice Laseur - \$100 |
| Ronnie Masek - \$1,000                           | Deloris Smolik - \$100 |
| Jennifer Kubecka - \$100                         | Georgia Cerny - \$100  |
| Pam & Nathan Vrazel - \$20                       | Matthew Cerny - \$10   |
| Joyce Janecka, Flatonia - \$75                   | Jane Schneider - \$10  |
| Doris Kokes, Houston - \$200                     |                        |
| Patrick Kokes, Houston - \$100                   |                        |
| Gladys Seifert, Moulton - \$100                  |                        |
| Marcel Kleihege, Moulton - \$10                  |                        |
| Kathleen & Martin Svatek - \$150                 |                        |
| Johnnye & Jack Jameyson - \$100                  |                        |
| Cynthia & Edward Koncaba - \$50                  |                        |
| Mary Ann Kokes, Houston - \$100                  |                        |
| Patti & Ron Kallus, Cypress - \$250              |                        |
| Marie & Frank Dulak, Bryan - \$120               |                        |
| Peggy & Darrell Mica, Austin - \$100             |                        |
| Gertie & Charlie Hajek, Waller - \$50            |                        |
| Lillian & David Florus, Flatonia - \$20          |                        |
| Gloria & David Reindl, Shiner - \$100            |                        |
| Cathy & Albert Bures, Yoakum - \$50              |                        |
| Nancy & Cecil Wood, Waelder - \$200              |                        |
| Jillian & Larry Stryk, Richmond - \$50           |                        |
| Carolyn & Alvin Hajek, Houston - \$50            |                        |
| Cora & Theodore Nowak, Houston - \$20            |                        |
| Virginia & Chris Spaniel, Pasadena - \$50        |                        |
| Betty Lou & Hubert Novak, Shiner - \$100         |                        |
| Pat, Tom & Will Lawrence, Moulton - \$50         |                        |
| M/M Ronald Berckenhoff & Family, Moulton - \$500 |                        |

***It's not too late to make a donation to the Meat Donation Fund. Donors list to be continued next week.***

### Toy Box (TB) / Fish Pond (FP) Donations

We thank for following for their recent donations:

Deloris Smolik - \$25 (TB) Georgia Cerny - \$25 (TB/FP)  
 Anonymous Donor - \$50 (TB)

### Desserts & Cake Walk

Keep your ovens going. We need at least 200 cakes for the cake walk and can never have enough desserts for the meal.

**Picnic Setup/Cleanup: August 12, 13, 14 & 16**  
 All help will be appreciated.

### Bingo Donations

2018 Bingo Donations ..... \$1,765  
 Donations So Far ..... \$1,160  
**Total No of Donors so far ..... 36**  
**No of Parishioners who have given so far ..... 24**  
**No of Non-Parishioners who have given ..... 12**

*We thank the following for their recent contributions:*

Georgia Cerny - \$25  
 Deloris Smolik - \$25  
 Jane Schneider - \$20  
 Anonymous Donor - \$50  
 Pam & Nathan Vrazel - \$20  
 Patrick Kokes, Houston - \$25  
 Gladys Seifert, Moulton - \$100  
 Kathleen & Martin Svatek - \$75  
 Marcel Kleihege, Moulton - \$10  
 Angeline Jalufka, Moulton - \$10  
 Mary Ann Kokes, Houston - \$25  
 Cynthia & Edward Koncaba - \$25  
 Moeller Tire & Lube, Flatonia - \$50  
 Fayette Savings Bank, Flatonia - \$50  
 Lillian & David Florus, Flatonia - \$15  
 Tom, Pat & Will Lawrence, Moulton - \$25



### Music Fund Donations

Our Goal This Year ..... \$2,550  
 Donations So Far ..... \$2,940 **Good Job!**  
**Total No of Donors so far ..... 38**  
**No of Parishioners who have given so far..... 26**  
**No of Non-Parishioners who have given ..... 12**

*We thank the following for their recent contributions:*

Jane Schneider - \$10  
 Deloris Smolik - \$25  
 Bernice Laseur - \$100  
 Jennifer Kubenka - \$100  
 Anonymous Donor - \$400  
 Pam & Nathan Vrazel - \$10  
 Joyce Janecka, Flatonia - \$75  
 Gladys Seifert, Moulton - \$100  
 Kathleen & Martin Svatek - \$75  
 Marcel Kleihege, Moulton - \$10  
 Johnnye & Jack Jameyson - \$100  
 Cynthia & Edward Koncaba - \$25  
 Timothy Kleihege, Moulton - \$200  
 Gayle & Steven Hill, Houston - \$100  
 Gloria & David Reindl, Shiner - \$100  
 Lillian & David Florus, Flatonia - \$15  
 Betty Lou & Hubert Novak, Shiner - \$100  
 Pat, Tom & Will Lawrence, Moulton - \$25  
 Barbara & James Haenel, San Marcos - \$50



***More Picnic Donations.***  
***See Insert.***

## **Auction Items Donated This Week**

We thank for following for their recent donations:

Pat Masek – Wooden Cross  
Leona Herzik – Dorm Quilt  
Joyce Janecka, Flatonina – Dorm Quilt  
Mary Lou Muras – Jar of Poppyseed  
Janet & Jerome Raabe, Jr. – Heifer Calf  
Earlene O'Brien – Hallway Wooden Table  
Angeline Jalufka, Moulton – Toddler Quilt  
Arlan's Market, Schulenburg – 50 Qt. Cooler  
Cathy & Michael Steinhauser, Flatonina - \$125  
Celine Kalina – 2 Gallons Homemade Pickles  
Kayla Michalec – Handcrafted Wooden Cross  
Flower Box, Schulenburg – Angel Wind Chimes  
Karmyn Michalec – Handcrafted Wooden Cross  
Pat & Tom Lawrence, Moulton – Framed Picture  
Mary & Joseph Sheeran – 500# Senepol Bull Calf  
Patsy & Leonard Tydlacka, Katy – 1 Ton Chain Hoist  
Jane Schneider – Decorative Bucket w/ Canned Goods  
Patsy Zamykal, Moulton – One Gallon Oatmeal Cookies  
Hanka House Piecemakers – Handmade King Size Quilt  
Edna Migl – Dog/Cat Food & Water Bowls w/ Iron Stand  
Patek's Grocery, Shiner - \$100 Patek's Grocery Gift Certificate  
Spoetzal Brewery, Shiner – Shiner Blonde Corn Hole Board Set  
Melvin Hutzler, Bulverde – Sacred Heart of Jesus Picture, Mirror  
Shoppa' John Deere, Shiner – John Deere Portable Propane Heater  
Kathleen & Martin Svatek – 2 Gallons Ranger Cookies, other items  
Ehler's Furniture, Hallettsville – Sleep to Go Memory Foam Pillow  
O'Reily Auto Parts, Schulenburg – Super Start Power Pack 600 Amp  
Carol & Gene Patalik – Garden Basket, Ruger LCP 38 Calibur Handgun  
Marcel Kleihege, Moulton – 32 pc. Screw Driver Set, 9 pc. Combination Wrench Set  
Kimberlyn Michalec – Angel Wing Wall Hanging Décor , Shooting Arrow Wall Art  
Maeker's Sausage & Processing, Shiner - \$25 Maeker's Sausage & Processing Gift Card  
Kaye & Michael Kasperek, Weimar – Houston Astros Lighted Corn Hole Board Set w/ Bags  
Lori & David Janecka – Dorm Quilt, Handmade Doll Bed w/ Bedding, Blanket, Pillow & Baby  
Kelly Mudd Equipment, Hallettsville – 5 Gallon VP Racing Gas Can. Agricultural Hydraulic Fluid  
Lori & David Janecka IMO Henry J. Migl - Hand Built Purple Martin 10 Hole House w/ Pole & Winch System  
Napa Auto Parts, Shiner – 2 Five Gallon Tractor & Transmission Hydraulic Fluid, 2 Hi Temp Multipurpose Grease  
Georgia Cerny – Pecan Pie, Praha Cookbook, Basket: Jelly, Pickles, Noodles, Bread, Rosettes, Jerky Meat & Seasoning  
Main Street Pharmacy & Gifts, Flatonina – Candle, John 3:16 Desk Décor & Pill Box, \$50 Main Street Pharmacy Gift Certificate  
Parker Lumber Supply, Shiner – 50' Heavy Duty Garden Hose, 16" Pedestal Fan w/ Remote, Two Gallon Lawn & Garden Sprayer  
Grahmann's True Value Hardware, Schulenburg – Little Kid Beach Chair, 50' Water Hose, Lounge Lawn Chair, Barn Bird Feeder, Art Plant Pot  
In Memory of Stazy Hajek – Handmade & Hand Quilted King Size Quilt (made by Stazy Hajek), Antique Cabbage Shredder w/ Stazy's Sauerkraut Recipe, Holy Picture

*We thank all those who have donated auction items so far. Auction items are still being accepted.*

### **Fr. Gabriel's Cake: Donations so far ..... \$2,015**

We thank the following for their recent contributions:

|                                    |                           |                       |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Anonymous Donor - \$200            | Jill & Brian Noska - \$15 | Joyce Janecka - \$75  |
| Anonymous Donor - \$200            | Mary Ann Kokes - \$25     | Georgia Cerny - \$100 |
| Jillian & Larry Stryk - \$50       | Angeline Jalufka - \$10   | Leona Herzik - \$100  |
| Jeanette & Carl Henke - \$25       | Liz & Leo Janak - \$25    | Deloris Smolik - \$25 |
| Lillian & David Florus - \$20      | Gladys Seifert - \$300    | Betty Patalik - \$20  |
| Gloria & David Reindl - \$100      | Felix Vinklarek - \$70    | Jason Bartos - \$50   |
| Kathleen & Martin Svatek - \$50    | Helen Schaefer - \$25     | Ray Novak - \$20      |
| Johnnye & Jack Jameyson - \$25     | Patrick Kokes - \$25      | Susan Ivey - \$50     |
| Mary Jane & Richard Henning - \$50 |                           |                       |

## **How You Can Help With The Picnic?**

**Auction:** Donate items of value to the auction. We need a variety of items for our guests. If you haven't decided what to donate to the auction yet, there are some **quilts (pieced, machine quilted - \$75 - \$100 each)** and **wood crafted items (Benches, Crosses, Signs and more - \$10 to \$100+)** available at the Parish Office in Moulton. Call or stop by to make a selection.

**Drop Off Auction Items:**

Monday, **August 12 - 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. (at the Auction Storage Building)**

Wednesday, **August 14 - 10 a.m. - ??? (at the Auction Storage Building)**

We are trying to tag as many items as possible to avoid the big rush on Picnic Day. If you have large auction items that need to be picked up prior to the Picnic contact Lori or David Janecka or the Parish Office.

**Attention Picnic Chairpersons:** If you have not contacted Dennis Stryk yet, please do so at 979-743-6743 to let him know the amount of starting change you will need for your booth.

**Picnic Worklist:** Extra copies available at the main entrance to church.

**Meat Donation Fund:** Our Meat Donation Fund Goal this year is \$12,000.  
Last Year's Food Cost \$25,106.11

**Raffle Tickets:** Have you turned in your raffle stubs and donations yet? Contact Thomas Petru or Liz Janak if you need more tickets.

**Bingo & Music Fund Donations:** It takes a lot to have good music for our guests. Bingo donations are needed as well. Can you help?

**Country Store:** The out-of-town people love homemade jelly, home-canned and home-baked goods, and hand-made crafts. Can you spare a few jars of canned goods? Let's make sure we have plenty on hand for our visitors.

**Fr. Gabriel's Cake:** Fr. Gabriel's Cake will be auctioned off at the Picnic. Make a donation towards it for a piece of cake.

**Miscellaneous Donations** are welcome.      **Publicity:** Invite all your friends and family to the Picnic.

**Desserts & Cake Walk:** Get your ovens ready. We need at least 200 cakes for the cake walk and can never have enough desserts for the meal.

**Contributions from out-of-town friends of the parish are accepted and appreciated.**

Put your donation in the collection basket or mail to: St. Mary's Church, 821 FM 1295, Flatonia, TX 78941

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**My donation to the Auction:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Do list the market value of each item donated.)



**My donation to:**    **Meat Fund \$** \_\_\_\_\_                      **Bingo \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fr. Gabriel's Cake \$** \_\_\_\_\_                      **Music \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Country Store:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Other donations:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sign me up for work at:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_                      **Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_

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All help will be appreciated.