

# Holy Family Catholic Church

245 S. Hidalgo Ave. New Braunfels, Texas 78130

Founded and served by Missionaries of the Holy Family since 1964



## OFFICE HOURS:

M.T.TH, F  
9AM-12PM & 1PM-5PM  
WEDNESDAY  
9AM-12PM & 1PM-4PM

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Deadline: Noon on Wednesday

## Welcome y Bienvenidos!

### Weekday Masses-Scheduled at 7:30am

Lunes y Jueves/Español

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday/English

### Weekend Masses

Saturday: 5pm/English

Sunday: 8am/Español, 10am & 12noon/English

“The Lord, your God, shall you worship  
and him alone shall you serve.”

Matthew 4:1-11



“Adorarás al Señor, tu Dio, y a él solo servirás.”

Mateo 4:1-11

March 1, 2020

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Sat. Feb 29, 2020**

5:00pm: †Jose Gonzales  
by Tony & Bertha Renteria

**Sun. Mar. 1, 2020**

8:00am: †Rudy Villarreal  
by Rudy & Lily Guerrero  
Para todas la Familiares, vivos y difuntos

10:00am: †Lucy Berry  
by Her Family

12:00pm: †Julian and †Manuela Gomez Sr.  
by Julia G. Mayo

**Mon. Mar. 2, 2020**

7:30am: †Eva Iracheta y †Jose Luis Salazar  
de parte de la Familia Salazar

**Tues. Mar. 3, 2020**

7:30am: In Honor of Peggy Jane Carroll  
by Catherine B. Hamilton

**Wed. Mar. 4, 2020**

7:00am: In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of  
San Juan by Mary Gomez

**Thurs. Mar. 5, 2020**

7:30am: †John Curiel Jr.  
de parte de Anthony & Amy Curiel

**Fri. Mar. 6, 2020**

7:30am: In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of  
Guadalupe by Julia Mayo

**Sat. Mar. 7, 2020**

5:00pm: †Pat & †Hortensia Hernandez  
by Their Family  
†Ruben Bustos Sr.  
by His Children, Diana, Oscar &  
Ruben Jr.

### Readings for the Week

**Mon:** Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Mt 25:31-46

**Tue:** Is 55:10-11/Mt 6:7-15

**Wed:** Jon 3:1-10/Lk 11:29-32

**Thu:** Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Mt 7:7-12

**Fri:** Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26

**Sat:** Dt 26:16-19/Mt 5:43-48

**Sun:** Gn 12:1-4a/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9

*"Through the intercessions of The Holy Family,  
Hear Our Prayers, O Lord, Amen."*

Let us lift our prayers for:



Steven Kathka, David Garcia, Luna Guadalupe Gonzalez Arteaga, Valentina Luna, Jose Lara, Antonia Zuniga, Daniel Zamora, Sierra Delgado, Anthony Curiel, Alyssa Curiel, Delfina Mendoza, Familia Rojas, Veazquez, Theresa Schwab, Laticia Crespo, Lance Lucero, Arturo Chavez, Gloria Luna, Jesse Garcia Jr., Chris Valdez, Kate Hardaway, Lourdes Miranda, Desivee Pontillo, Luis Crespo, Gabriela Cruz, Derik & Karen Hernandez, Florence Menchaca, Lucy & Angie Berry, Travis Sawyers, Aurora Saenz, Aly Juanita, Baby Faustina Gorman, Barbara A. Godfrey, Diana Alanis, Bob Krogman, Bridget and Baby Mary Madeline Croughin, Bertha Renteria, Dillin Mathew Preiss, Fred Zavala, Gloria Herrera, Gonzalo Paiz III, Guadalupe Arroyo, Irene Esparza, Issa Name, Jennifer Hernandez, Asia Chaffee, John Croughin, Maria Reina Moya, Pedro Luis Martinez, Lopez-Cruz & Lopez-Velazquez Families, Paula Castillo, Zandra Williams, Juan Luna Sr., Rosa Hinojosa & Hank Dietrich

We pray for the Family and Friends of  
†Maria Leos and †Juan V. Martinez



Thank you to Russell and Laura Deddo receiving the **Vocation Chalice** this week at the 5pm Mass. The Vocation Chalice will be given to a Family once a week. Next week we pray a family at the 8am Mass will sign-up to take the chalice home. Then following week a family from the 10am Mass and then 12pm Mass. Contact Mandy Ortiz to sign up.



The Archdiocesan On the Way - ¡Ándale! Campaign will joyfully come to a conclusion on Divine Mercy Sunday. Thanks to the generosity of many, the campaign has raised nearly \$58 million and is closing in on the \$60 million goal. If you have not yet had the opportunity to support the On the Way - ¡Ándale! Campaign, please consider making your contribution before April 19<sup>th</sup>.

**R.E. CHILDREN, YOUTH & ADULT  
FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM**

Classes February March 1<sup>st</sup>  
No Classes March 8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>-Spring Break  
**Next Adult Faith Formation Gathering**  
Next Gathering March 4, 202  
**Next Adult Bible Study Gatherings**  
Sat. March 7, 2020/10AM/REC  
New Session: Gospel of Matthew Session 3  
**March Liturgy Workshop**  
Next gathering Mon. March 9<sup>th</sup> 6:45pm-7:45pm



**First Thursday March 5<sup>th</sup>**  
**Healing Mass/ Misa de sanación**  
at 7pm. Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 6:30pm

**March 6<sup>th</sup>**



**First Friday Adoration** until noon only.  
**Stations of the Cross/ Via Crucis 7pm**  
This week lead by Renacer En El Espíritu-Sp



**Friday Fish Fry Fundraiser!**

Friday's during Lent  
Mar. 6<sup>th</sup> – Apr. 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Parish Hall 11am – 2pm

We welcome your time, talent, donations, and patronage in support of the Parish's Annual Lenten Fish Fry Fundraiser.

Please contact Stella or Miguel Madero @ (830)660-0672 / (830)660-0631 for any questions.  
Thank You & God Bless! †Pray †Fast †Give

**Parish Lenten Reflections/ Reflexiones de Cuaresma**

Lead by Agape Prayer Ministry

"On the Road to Calvary" 7pm-8:30pm / Church

Thurs, Mar. 12<sup>th</sup>: Jesus is Condemned.  
Thurs, Mar. 19<sup>th</sup>: Jesus Falls the First Time  
Thurs, Mar. 26<sup>th</sup>: Veronica Wipes the Face of Jesus  
Refreshments to follow at the R.E. Center  
Refrescos despues

**UPCOMING GATHERINGS**

**Sat. Feb. 29, 2020**  
-3pm Confessions / 5pm Mass  
**Sun. Mar. 1, 2020**  
-Masses: 8am, 10am & 12noon  
-R.E. Classes  
**Mon. Mar. 2, 2020**  
-5:30pm Evening Rosary  
-6:30pm Liturgy Committee Mtg  
**Tues. Mar. 3, 2020**  
-Renacer En El Espíritu Mtg  
**Wed. Mar. 4, 2020**  
-Adoration/Confessions  
-7pm Adult Faith Formation  
**Thurs. Mar. 5, 2020**  
-6:30pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy  
-7pm Healing Mass  
**Fri. Mar. 6, 2020**  
-First Friday Adoration until 12noon only/Chapel  
-11am-2pm Fish Fry  
-7pm Stations of the Cross/*Spanish*  
**Sat. Mar. 7, 2020**  
-10am Adult Bible Study  
-3pm Confessions / 5pm Mass  
**Sun. March 8, 2020**  
-Masses: 8am, 10am & 12noon  
-No R.E. Classes  
**Mon. March 9, 2020**  
-5:30pm Evening Rosary  
-6:30pm-Liturgy Workshop  
-No Baptism Classes this Month



*Coronilla de la divina misericordia  
Lunes a Viernes 3pm en la capilla*

**ACOLYTES SCHEDULE Mar 7 & 8**

SAT: 5PM Deacon Pedro	SUN: 8AM Jose T.
SUN: 10AM Rick C.	SUN: 12 NOON David C.

**From Pastor's Desk:** First Sunday of Lent 2020.

*Reflection: Matthew 4, 1 – 11: Jesus fasted forty days and forty nights.*

Every year on the first Sunday of Lent, the focus is on temptation. No matter how hard we try to avoid temptations, they find their way into our spiritual life. It seems as though they lie in wait for us, trying to catch us when we least expect them, or when our resolve to avoid them is weak. The story of Jesus' temptations in the desert gives us hope. His response to the tempter came from a realization that his mission was from God, and not from the attractions offered by the devil. In the face of temptation, our strength comes from remembering our true self, a son or daughter of God. Nothing is greater than that. Through the temptations in our life may not be as dramatic as those in Genesis or in the Gospels, they may be just as powerful. As we celebrate today's liturgy, let us pray to God for strength to resist temptation and for mercy when we fall.

Merciful God, we seek your tender compassion in all our ways and for all our sins. You gave to your Son Jesus the power and to renew our desire to live in communion with all our brothers and sisters. Let your compassion heal every one of our sins and keep us always faithful to your commands.

**Desde el escritorio del pastor:** Primer Domingo de Cuaresma 2020.

*Reflexión: Mateo 4, 1 – 11: Jesús ayunó cuarenta días y cuarenta noches*

Cada año, el primer domingo de Cuaresma, el foco se centra en la tentación. No importa cuánto tratemos de evitar las tentaciones, encuentran su camino en nuestra vida espiritual. Parece como si nos esperaran, tratando de atraparnos cuando menos los esperamos, o cuando nuestra determinación de evitarlos es débil. La historia de Jesús tentaciones en el desierto nos da esperanza. Su respuesta al tentador vino de la comprensión de que su misión era de Dios, y no de las atracciones ofrecidas por el diablo. Frente a la tentación, nuestra fuerza viene de recordar nuestro verdadero yo, un hijo o hija de Dios. Nada es más grande que eso. A través de las tentaciones en nuestra vida puede no ser tan dramática como las del Génesis o en los Evangelios, pueden ser igual de Poderoso. Al celebrar la liturgia de hoy, oremos a Dios por la fortaleza para resistir la tentación y por la misericordia cuando caemos.

Dios misericordioso, buscamos tu tierna compasión en todos nuestros caminos y por todos nuestros pecados. Le diste a tu Hijo Jesús el poder y renovar nuestro deseo de vivir en comunión con todos nuestros hermanos y hermanas. Deja que tu compasión sane cada uno de nuestros pecados y manténnos siempre fieles a tus órdenes.

#### **First Sunday of Lent**

Lord God, you who breathed  
the spirit of life within me.

Draw out of me the light and life you created.

Help me to find my way back to you.

Help me to use my life to reflect your glory and  
to serve others as your son Jesus did.

#### **Primer domingo de Cuaresma**

Señor Dios, tú que respiraste  
el espíritu de vida dentro de mí.

Saca de mí la luz y la vida que creaste. Ayúdame a  
encontrar el camino de regreso a ti.

Ayúdame a usar mi vida para reflejar tu gloria y  
servir a los demás como lo hizo tu hijo Jesús.

#### **Our Weekly Offering**

1<sup>st</sup> Collection: \$4,635.69

On-Line Collection: \$410.00

**Total: \$5,045.69**

2<sup>nd</sup> Collection: \$1,452.14

On-Line Collection: \$20.00

**Total: \$1,472.14**

R.E. and Youth Program Offering: \$77.00

Ash Wednesday Collection: 1<sup>st</sup> Collection: \$1,643.62    2<sup>nd</sup> Collection: \$833.47

ARCHBISHOP APPEAL 2020 PARISH GOAL: \$10,953 Pledged \$3,455 Received \$1,837

*Thank you all so much for your generosity and faithful support. It's greatly appreciated*

**Capital Campaign: Parish Target: \$300,000    Received: \$68,820**

