

**St. Mary's  
&  
Holy Name of Jesus  
Catholic Churches**



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<b>Mass Schedule</b>			
		Umbarger	Happy
Mon, June 11	St. Barnabas, Apostle	No Mass	No Mass
Tue, June 12		7 PM - Parish Council	No Mass
Wed, June 13	St. Anthony of Padua	8 AM - Walt and Marla Davis	No Mass
Thu, June 14		8 AM - Joseph Schwind	7 PM - St Anthony Trust & Sts Club
Fri, June 15		8 AM - Knights of Columbus	No Mass
Sat, June 16		No Mass	5:30 PM - Parish Family
Sun, June 17	11th Sunday of Ordinary Time	9:00 AM - Parish Family	No Mass

# ST. MARY'S

Date	Lector	Servers	Eucharistic Ministers	Gifts
Sunday June 17, 2018	Roger Batenhorst	Charles Russell Chance Butcher Caden Dorman	Denise Schenk Kevin Schenk Kristi Batenhorst	Volunteers

**Divine Mercy Chaplet:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday at 10:30 AM  
**Anointing of the Sick:** 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend after mass  
**CYO** 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday 6:00 pm. at the Hall  
**CCD:** Sundays at 10:15-11:30

**Donation Statements** If you need a donation statement for your 2017 taxes please contact Valerie Kuhnert at vckuhnert@suddenlink.net or contact Fr. Grant

**United Catholic Appeal.** Please return your UCA Pledge card as soon as possible. You can turn it in either by mail or by placing it in the regular collection.

If anyone is interested in helping or leading the effort on a new Parish Cookbook, please contact Leeann Handing.

**Vacation Bible School** is scheduled for July 9th- 13th. Mark your calendars and look for more information to come.

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**A new list of liturgy ministers** and their phone numbers is available in the sacristy. If you are scheduled and unable to serve, please call a name on the list to serve for you.

**Parish Council** has two members terms that are expiring. We are looking for people interested in filling the CCD and Liturgy positions. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Fr Grant or Lana Bracken. Also, when you see Cheryl Robinson (CCD) or Lesann Hartman (Liturgy) please thank them for their 6 years of service to our parish. They have been a great blessing to us!

**St Mary's Prayer Blanket Ministry** If you or a loved one suffers from a serious illness and would like a blanket, please contact Laurie Wegman or Fr Grant.

**Vocations Chalice:** Sign-up to take the chalice home on the parish website (Liturgy/ Vocations Chalice tab) or by filling out one of the cards found in the narthex and placing it in the collection.

**Bible Study, apologetics and fellowship** at Bill and Frances Dorsey's home every Thursday at 7:00 PM.

**May 10th will be our last Bible Study until after Summer break. Classes will resume September 13th.**  
 23400 Brown Rd., Canyon, 806-290-0734.

**Christian Mothers** meetings will resume in August.

There will be not be any breakfast Sundays in July.

## Holy Name of Jesus

**Parish Finances May 27, 2018**

Regular Collection: \$510

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**Declaraciones de donación** Si necesita una declaración de donación para sus impuestos de 2017, póngase en contacto con el Padre. Grant.

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**How to place yourself in the presence of God,  
according to St. Francis de Sales**

*By Philip Kosloski*

St. Francis de Sales was a masterful spiritual writer during the 17th century and wrote a very practical book on the spiritual life, called Introduction to the Devout Life. Instead of writing it for monks and nuns, de Sales wrote it for ordinary lay people and sought to help them in their everyday spirituality. Countless souls have found this book helpful and return to it for guidance during times of difficulty.

Here are several useful quotes from this inspiring book, in which de Sales details how to place yourself in the presence of God.

And in order to place yourself in the Presence of God, I will suggest four chief considerations which you can use at first.

First, a lively earnest realization that His Presence is universal; that is to say, that He is everywhere, and in all, and that there is no place, nothing in the world, devoid of His Most Holy Presence, so that, even as birds on the wing meet the air continually, we, let us go where we will, meet with that Presence always and everywhere.

The second way of placing yourself in this Sacred Presence is to call to mind that God is not only present in the place where you are, but that He is very specially present in your heart and mind, which He kindles and inspires with His Holy Presence, abiding there as Heart of your heart, Spirit of your spirit.

The third way is to dwell upon the thought of our Lord, Who in His Ascended Humanity looks down upon all men, but most particularly on all Christians, because they are His children; above all, on those who pray, over whose doings He keeps watch. Nor is this any mere imagination, it is very truth, and although we see Him not, He is looking down upon us.

The fourth way is simply to exercise your ordinary imagination, picturing the Savior to yourself in His Sacred Humanity as if He were beside you just as we are wont to think of our friends, and fancy that we see or hear them at our side.

Make use of one or other of these methods for placing yourself in the Presence of God before you begin to pray;—do not try to use them all at once, but take one at a time, and that briefly and simply.

# NEWS FROM AROUND THE DIOCESE

**FOR BULLETIN NOTICES** – Bulletin Deadline: Thursday @ noon. For St Mary's please contact Lana Bracken cell: 806.640.4672; email: LanaSueBracken@gmail.com. For Holy Name of Jesus please contact Lana Bracken cell: 806.640.4672; email: LanaSueBracken@gmail.com.

**Baptism or Wedding** Please contact Fr. Grant at least 1 month in advance for baptisms and 6 months advance for weddings.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

**Umbarger:** Sundays at 8:30 am or by appointment. **Happy:** Saturdays at 5 p.m. and Thursday at 6:30 p.m. or by appointment.

To use or rent the church or parish hall, please contact Fr. Grant or Debbie Batenhorst at least 3 months before the event.

**FOR MASS INTENTIONS** please call Fr. Grant or leave the intention in the collection basket.

**Please pray for all the sick in our parishes**

**ST. MARY'S:** Marie Wieck, Jeanie Bartley, Emma Weid, Dianna Donathon, Jeremy Koch, Bill Stocker, John Grabber, April Artho, Mary Kolac, Gene Schenk, John Wilson, Kyle Henderson, Jose Sanchez, Ashlee Trevino, Audree Rose Gomez, Patsy Huseman, Mike Smith, Oscar Olvera, Collier Friemel, Marcella Brandt, Tuffy Schenk, Lusi Ortiz, Gaylord Malecha, Willie Wieck, John Kreighauser, Sean Schenk, Misty Blevins, Darrol Adams, Chris Adams, Misty Vasquez

**Holy Name of Jesus:** Larry Simons, Pedra Soto, Louis Castellon, Lionel Sosa



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**Pilgrimage to Italy Hosted By: Msgr. Joe Bixenman**

*Venice, Padua, Florence, Assisi and Vatican City with a Papal Audience.* **\$3,299 From Dallas**

Wednesday, Oct. 31 -- Saturday, Nov. 10

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