

Saint Boniface Catholic Church

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Our Motto: "To strengthen the spiritual growth of the community and to nurture personal relationship with Jesus Christ"

Church Office Hours

Monday: Closed

Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Weekends:

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: English Mass: 9:30 a.m.

Spanish Mass: 12:00 p.m.

Weekdays: Tuesday and Wednesday: 6.00 p.m.; Friday: 9.00 a.m.

First Friday: One hour adoration after the Mass

Special Celebrations

Baptisms: Saturday 11:00 a.m.

Quinceñeras and Weddings: Saturday 12:00 or 2:00 p.m.

Faith Formation

Children: Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Adults: Tuesday 6:30 p.m.

Confession

Weekends: Half an hour before all masses

Weekdays: By appointment

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism, First communion, Confirmation, and Matrimony, please call the church office.

Sick Calls

If you or a member of your family is sick or in the hospital, please call the parish office or the priest. You will be included in our prayers, and the priest will be able to visit you.

For more information

Please contact Fr. Lawrence at stbonifacechandler@gmail.com

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Holy Father's Intention for February 2016

Universal: That we may take good care of creation— a gift freely given— cultivating and protecting it for future generations.

Evangelization: That opportunities may increase for dialogue and encounter between the Christian faith and the peoples of Asia.

Pastor's Desk



What can you consider giving up this Lent?

GIVE UP grumbling! Instead, "In everything give thanks." Constructive criticism is OK, but "moaning, groaning, and complaining" are not Christian disciplines.

GIVE UP 10 to 15 minutes in bed! Instead, use that time in prayer, Bible study, and personal devotion.

GIVE UP looking at other people's worst points. Instead concentrate on their best points. We all have faults. It is a lot easier to have people overlook our shortcomings when we overlook theirs first.

GIVE UP speaking unkindly. Instead, let your speech be generous and understanding. It costs so little to say something kind and uplifting. Why not check that sharp tongue at the door?

GIVE UP your hatred of anyone or anything! Instead, learn the discipline of love. "Love covers a multitude of sins."

GIVE UP your worries and anxieties! Instead, trust God with them. Anxiety is spending emotional energy on something we can do nothing about: like tomorrow! Live today and let God's grace be sufficient.

GIVE UP TV one evening a week! Instead, visit some lonely or sick person.

There are those who are isolated by illness or age. Why isolate yourself in front of the "tube?" Give someone a precious gift: your time!

GIVE UP buying anything but essentials for yourself! Instead, give the money to God. The money you would spend on the luxuries could help someone meet basic needs. We are called to be stewards of God's riches, not consumers.

GIVE UP judging by appearances and by the standards of the world! Instead, learn to give yourself up to God. There is only one who has the right to judge, Jesus Christ (Craig Gates, Jackson, MS, "What to Give up for Lent").

Prayers and Blessings,
Rev. Lawrence, Ph.D.

Year of Mercy Reflection by Pope Francis for February 21st

Go to Mass Like Sinners: The "confession" which we make at the beginning [of mass] is not "proforma." It is a real act of repentance! I am a sinner and I confess it, this is how the mass begins! We should never forget that the Last Supper of Jesus took place "on the night he was betrayed" (1 Corinthians 11:23). In the bread and in the wine which we offer and around which we gather, the gifts of Jesus' body and blood is renewed every time for the remission of our sins. We must go to mass humbly, like sinners, and the Lord reconciles us.

-General audience, February 12, 2014.

Reflection: The mass is a gift encounter with the mercy of the Lord. Next time you are there, try to use each element of the mass to meditate on his mercy. What is he saying to you through the prayers, the readings, and the Eucharist?

* For daily reflections go to www.stbonifacehandler.org

February 2016

Weekend of February 14: **Total collections:** \$2,133 **50's Dance:** \$134.00

Second Collection : 02/14/16 Black and Indian Missions

Announcements

1. If you would like to purchase an Easter Lilly in memory or in honor of someone, the cost of these will be \$10.00. There are envelopes in the community room, please place name of person donating and person in memory or in honor of. You can place the envelopes in the collection basket or give to Father.
2. February Dollar Raffle item is a Handmade Crochet Lap Afghan made by Martie Middleton, a 15 inch wall crucifix and an Answer Bible. Drawing will be after the 12:00 mass this Sunday.
3. Thank-you to Charles & Rachel Maldonado for sponsoring & running the "50's Rock 'n' Roll" dance last Saturday night. It was a great time for all. The dance raised \$134.00. Thank you all who participated.
4. Join us for "Last Sunday of the Month Breakfast/Lunch", next Sunday, the main course will be Tostadas prepared by the Lozano Family & Friends. Anyone interested in sponsoring and/or preparing a meal please contact a member of the Fundraising Committee for more information.
5. Those who would like to request a letter for their donations and contributions from the Church for their 2015 tax purposes, please send an email or talk to Fr. Lawrence, if possible, with your total amount of your contributions or donations. You may collect your tax letter next Sunday, February 27, 2016 from the office after mass.
6. The Bishop's Annual Appeal is the one occasion during the year when you are asked to extend your charity beyond your parish and help the diocese to reach out in your name to advance the Lord's saving work throughout East Texas. Please return your pledge or gift as soon as you can directly to the diocese or drop it in our collection basket. Those who have not received your envelopes by mail we will provide them for you next Sunday so that you can make your commitments. Every gift will bring us closer to our goal. Thank you.

Anuncios

1. Si gustan comprar un lirio de Pascua en memoria o en honor de alguien, el costo será \$10. Ay sobres en el salón de comunidad para que escriban su nombre con el nombre de la persona por cual están donando. Pueden poner estos sobres en la canasta de colección o se lo pueden dar al Padre Lorenzo.
2. El artículo de este mes, de la rifa de dólar, es un crucifijo de 15 pulgadas, un regazo afgano de crochet, y una biblia de respuesta. La rifa será después de la misa de las 12.
3. Gracias a Charles y Rachel Maldonado por patrocinadores del baile de los 50's. Se recaudó \$134.00. Gracias a todos que participaron.
4. Acompañenos el último domingo del mes para el desayuno, donde la Familia Lozano y amigos servirán tostadas. Si alguien está interesado en patrocinar o en participar en cocinar un desayuno por favor comuníquese con un miembro del comité de recaudaciones.
5. Para los que quieran una carta de las donaciones o contribuciones que dieron a la iglesia en el año 2015 para sus impuestos, por favor mándenle un correo electrónico o hablen con el Padre Lorenzo. Por favor tengan la cantidad que donaron en mente. Pueden recoger su carta el próximo domingo 27 febrero, después de misa en la oficina.
6. La Promesa Anual del Obispo es la única ocasión durante el año cuando se les pedí extender su caridad más allá de su parroquia y ayudar la diócesis y
7. alcanzar en su nombre para avanzar el trabajo de Dios a lo largo del este de Tejas. Por favor regrese su donación o sobre de promesa directamente a la diócesis o pónganlo en la canasta de colecta. Para los que no han recibido su sobre de promesa por correo, tendremos unos disponibles durante misa el próximo Domingo. Cada donación nos acerca más a nuestra me-

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Our Seminarians are our future Sheperds, our future priests. These devout men are giving up their lives to shepherd God's people in East Texas. With a gift to the 2016 Bishop's Annual Appeal, you help those men who are giving their lives in service to you. Your support funds the formation of local, young men like Steven Chabbaria from Whitehouse, Texas. Steven's ready to answer Christ's call. With your help he can!

ANUNCIO ESPECIAL

Nuestros semenaristas son nuestros futuros pastores, nuestros futuros sacerdotes. Estos hombres devotos dan su vida para pastorear la gente de el este de Tejas. Con una donacion de la Promesa Anual del Obispo 2016, usted ayuda a estos jovenes que estan dando su vida para el servicio de usted. Su donacion ayuda a formar a jovenes locales como Steven Chabbaria de Whitehouse, Tejas. Steven esta listo para contestar la llamada de Cristo. Con su ayuda si puede!

Mass Intentions/ Intenciones para la misa

Feb. 20, 5 p.m. mass: For Maria Luisa Hewitt.

Feb. 21, 9 a.m. mass: For Juan Fabian Silva

Feb. 21, 12 p.m. mass: For Carmen Diaz.

Daily masses: Maria Luisa Hewitt

Upcoming Fundraising Events

Feb. 14-21st: Dollar Raffle

Feb. 28th: Last Sunday Lunch

March 5-13th: Special Raffle



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4741 FM 2339, Murchison
Four miles west of Edom
903-235-2529/903-469-3647



Special Thanks to Travis Barnes
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Angie and Tom Tran

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LET US REMEMBER THOSE WHO ARE SICK IN OUR PRAYERS

Susan Weaver, Peggy Marks, Joyce Dye, Betsy Mamo, Sandra Reynolds, Rhonda Brown, Lisa Kephart, LeRoy Clary, Maya Harper, Beverly Camp, Ellen Wallace, Michael Sharum, Talon Dyess, Kay Chavez, Helen Littler, Eric Duran, Beverly Flores, Christina Grochowski, MaryAnn Hubl, Jim Bloodworth, Billy Wheat, Esperanza Gutierrez, Conradita Sanchez, Donna Wallace, Phyllis Wood, Bill Hall, and Mary Lou Marino, Sam Fisher, David Bartz, Marilyn Hare, Rita Neidlein, and Maria Luisa Hewitt.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN OUR ARMED FORCES.



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