

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

APRIL 26, 2020



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DEACONS: Rev. Mr. Joseph (Joey) Targac
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ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS:
Dorothy A. Jansky, Phyllis Steffek, Rita Chase, and Jackie Pettus

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS:

Saturday: Vigil Mass at 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

SPANISH MASS:

Last Sunday of every month at 5:00 p.m.

WEEKDAYS:

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday – 7:00 a.m.
Wednesday and Friday – 7:00 a.m. and 8:05 a.m.

NURSING HOME MASSES:

Hallettsville Rehab. – 10:00 a.m., every Monday
Stevens – 10:00 a.m., every Thursday

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Confessions are heard on Saturdays beginning at 4:30 p.m. and by appointment at any time.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE & BAPTISM

Contact the Rectory well in advance of anticipated date.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASSES

4th Sunday of every month at 9:00 a.m. in the Family Center. Please call the Rectory in advance to register.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament begins on Sundays at 6:00 p.m. and continues through Friday at 6:00 p.m.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to our parish family. Please stop by the Rectory or call to register.

RIGHT TO LIFE CONTACT NUMBER: (888) 735-3448

EWTV – Cable Channel 71 or Dish Channel 261; Direct TV Channel 370.

RADIO STATIONS: 99.9 FM and 94.3 FM

PASTORAL COUNCIL

CATHOLIC ACTION: Denise Barton, Amy Amsden, Cori Chovanetz

CEMETERY: Ronnie Sevcik, Nathan Etzler

EDUCATION: Robert Klekar, Donald Shimek

LITURGY: Mary Hall, Sharon Bludau

MAINTENANCE: Randy L. Fojt, Michael Janak

FINANCE: John Henke, Jr.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

John Henke, Jr., Dennis Matula, Roman Shimek, Debra Technik & Debbie Wagner

SACRED HEART SCHOOL (798-4251)

Grades Pre-K3 - 12, fully accredited by the Texas Catholic Conference Education Department and the Texas Education Agency.

Principal: Kevin Haas; Secretary: Kathy Haas

SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL

Lisa Dworsky, Allen Machicek, Chuck Pavliska, Katie Steffek, Michele Etzler, Brian Popp

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD) (798-3124)

Grades K-12, Sacramental Programs, Adult Education. For information, call Angela McConnell (798-3124 or 741-8730) or the Rectory. Classes for Grades K-12 are on Wednesdays, 6:00–7:00 p.m. Like us on Facebook – www.facebook.com/SacredHeartReligiousEducation

YOUTH MINISTRY:

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Notify the Rectory for address or other changes.

PARISH WEBSITES:

Parish: www.shcatholicchurch.org

School: www.shschool.org

Cemetery: www.victoriadiocese.org

Safe Environment: www.victoriadiocese.org

ADORATION CHAPEL:

Charlene Bradbury (798-3224)

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Tuesdays by noon.

APRIL 26, 2020
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

“The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!” (Lk 24:34)



Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

Sunday, April 26, Third Sunday of Easter, Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [11a]/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35

Joe R., Emilie, Helen, Jerome, Joe N., Magdalene,
Margaret and Raymond Steffek

For Our Parish

Manuel and Paula Loya, Manuel Loya, Jr. and Dora Loya

Monday, April 27, Easter Weekday, Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 [1ab]/Jn 6:22-29

Anton & Helen Bolom & Harvey Pavliska, Sr.

No Mass at Nursing Home

Tuesday, April 28, Easter Weekday, Saint Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr; Saint Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest, Acts 7:51—8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab [6a]/Jn 6:30-35

Hattie Earwood

Wednesday, April 29, Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church, Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66: 1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a [1]/Jn 6:35-40

Brenda Barta

Erwin J. Bludau, Sr.

Thursday, April 30, Easter Weekday, Saint Pius V, Pope, Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 [1]/Jn 6:44-51

Living and Deceased Members of Louis and Mary Rother Family

No Mass at Nursing Home

Friday, May 1, Easter Weekday, Saint Joseph the Worker, Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 6:52-59

Charles Michalec

Timmy Kostelnik

Saturday, May 2, Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church, Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4, 12-13, 14 and 16 [cf.17b]/Mt 13:54-58; Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [12]/Jn 6:60-69

Billy Dierschke

Sunday, May 3, Fourth Sunday of Easter, World Day of Prayer for Vocations, Acts 2:14a, 36-41/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10

Karen Steffek

For Our Parish

Bulletin Sponsor and Vigil Light: In Memory of Joe R., Emilie, Helen, Jerome, Joe N., Magdalene, Margaret and Raymond Steffek

Radio Sponsor: In Memory of Russell Grahmann by Marvin and Annette Grahmann

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

ALL EVENTS CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Among Our Sick: Ryan Janak, Harvey Drozd, Cynthia Spanihel, Kimberly Jalufka, Wilton Hrcir, Alma (Sweet) Hrcir, Gloria Juarez, Emil Doubrava, Marcella Henke, Laura Berlin, Brian Wisnoski, Cole Ohrt, Geraldine Taylor, Carolyn Strauss, Robert Drozd, Emma Henke, Lena Partida, Mary Kaiser, Albert Orosco, Kate Miles, Jeffery Evans, Bea Butschek, Jennifer Lackey, Kimberly Montz, Dawson Kutac, Buddy Boehm, Martha Sitka, Margaret Henneke, Eugene Garza, Victor Smajstrla, Cassin Leopold, Richard Grahmann, Ella Mae Bludau, Donna Nevlud, Linda Wischnewsky, Debbie Fishbeck, Andrew Pesek, Alfred Janak, JoAnn Zapalac, Kenneth Renger, Michelle Brown, Anthony Corte, Mary Ann Appelt Kizer, Steve Kossa, Jane Pesek, Joylyn Gunn, Barbara Schindler, Judy Aulick, Bernadette Bludau, Charleigh Rainosek, Ken Petty, Angie Wagner, Donald Horton, Jr.; Shannon Grahmann, Hubbard Wyatt, Jeremy Henke, Michael Bennett, Alton Grahmann, Eleanora Schaefer, Bernice Schulte, Sally Janak, Laddie Kurtz, and nursing home residents & the homebound.

Our Gift to God: Envelopes-\$6,191, Loose-\$280; Building Repair Fund-\$368

Please pray for the Veterans who have served Our Country and have sacrificed and given so much for our freedom.

Please pray for Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life.

Our Church directories have been proofed but there is a delay with the printing since the company closed due to the coronavirus. We hope to receive the directories once the company resumes full operation. Thank you for your patience.

Calendar Membership: **April 16:** Sandra & James Mullen-\$100; **April 17:** Phillip Steffek-\$100; **April 20:** Roger Wulf -\$50; **April 21:** Gertie Shimek-\$50; **April 22:** Jacee, Jordyn & Jaxson Haas-\$50

From the Desk of Msgr. John

Here is a copy of the letter being sent to Parishioners, Alumni and Friends, with information on the Sacred Heart Raffle and No Picnic Picnic Donations:

I pray that you are all doing well. It is a sad time in our world and in our country today with the Coronavirus so widespread. It is affecting everyone and everything. We all need to stay safe and pray and trust in the Lord.

Because of the danger that is still present from the virus and not knowing what is ahead of us, we have decided to **CANCEL** the Sacred Heart Spring 2020 Picnic for May 24th. There will not be a meal.

We are sending out the regular raffle tickets and will have the drawing on May 24th at 5:00 p.m. The Kawasaki 4010 Mule tickets will continue to be sold until the Fall 2020 Picnic on September 6. The total number of tickets sold will remain the same.

We will be accepting **No Picnic Picnic Donations**. Whatever you would have spent at the Picnic, you may send that to the Church, if you are able.

We will also be accepting donations for the Pastor's Cake. If you normally are billed for it already, you may send that in. If you are not on the list, you may send in a donation.

Any and all donations will be appreciated to help with the support of the Parish. Those who can contribute financially, please do so prior to May 24th. If you are not financially able at this time, please pray for the success of the **NO PICNIC PICNIC**.

Let us continue to pray for one another.

SCHOOL NEWS

School has been suspended for rest of school year. (2019-2020). Students will still have assignments given until end of school year.



Congratulations to Rev. Msgr. John C. Peters On the Anniversary Of Your Ordination April 26, 1974



*The Sacred Heart
Catholic Family extends
heartfelt congratulations to
Rev. Msgr. John C. Peters
on the 46th Anniversary of
his ordination to the
priesthood.*

BLESSINGS
on the
Anniversary
of your
Ordination

*May God continue to bless
and strengthen him in his
ministry.*

*We are grateful for his
guidance, presence and
love.*

CCD Info:

Cancelled for the rest of the school year. (2019-2020).



Blood Drive

There will be 2 more Blood Drives for Sacred Heart Church this year. The Blood Drives will be held on Sunday, May 24 and Sunday, August 30, 2020. at Sacred Heart Gym Parking Lot, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Please Give Blood! It's Free! For further information, please contact Gerardette Haas at 361-798-2910.



https://donor.southtexasblood.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/118435

**CREIGHTON MODEL Fertility Care System
Service—An authentic Language of a Women’s
Health and Fertility Introductory Sessions
2020 Group Introductory Sessions:**

May 11	June 22
July 20	August 24
September 21	October 19
November 16	December 14

Mary’s House, 300 South Dowling, Hallettsville,
Texas--6:00 p.m. or call to make an appointment for
a private introductory session.

Lara Haas, FCPI

361-772-1410

Larahaas.fertilitycare@gmail.com

Youth Group News: Our Youth

Group is very active online with challenges and live events, open to all parishioners in grades 8-12. Come join for fellowship, faith formation and fun. To receive notices, text the message @9k8bf2 to the number 81010 All for the greater Glory of God!
Bruce & Angela McConnell



SPRING PICNIC 2020

Attention All Parishioners:

The Spring Picnic 2020 has been cancelled. Raffle tickets will still be mailed out. The drawing will be held on Sunday, May 24, 2020.

The Kawasaki 400 Mule tickets will continue to be sold for the Fall Picnic on September 6.

We will still be accepting No Picnic Picnic Donations. This can be sent to the Church if you are able.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

My Jesus,
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
And I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
Come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You.

**SACRED HEART PARISH SPRING PICNIC RAFFLE
Knights of Columbus Hall, Hallettsville
SUNDAY, MAY 24, 2020-\$1.00 DONATION PER TICKET**

Prizes

1. \$500 Cash Certificate..... Bob Kubena
2. \$500 Cash Certificate..... Chris and Julie Kubena
3. \$500 Cash Certificate..... Evelyn Hoffer
4. \$500 Cash Certificate..... Sacred Heart Credit Union
5. \$500 Cash Certificate..... Charlie & Kathy Haas
6. \$500 Cash Certificate..... James & Marsha Steffek
7. \$500 Cash Certificate..... Phillip & Phyllis Steffek
8. \$300 Cash Certificate..... David & Carol Bohuslav
9. \$300 Cash Certificate..... Rainosek's True Value – Don & Barbara Rainosek
10. \$300 Cash Certificate..... John & LaVerne Trojcek
11. \$300 Cash Certificate..... George & Irene Knebel
12. \$250 Cash Certificate..... Catholic Life Insurance, Branch #22
13. \$250 Cash Certificate..... KJZT Society #2
14. \$200 Cash Certificate..... Bohuslav Feed Mill
15. \$200 Cash Certificate..... Kenneth & Dolores Renger
16. \$200 Cash Certificate..... Eddie & Agnes Kosh
17. \$200 Cash Certificate..... Ella Mae Bludau
18. \$200 Cash Certificate..... Frank Zaruba
19. \$200 Cash Certificate..... Arthur & Rose Mary Etzler
20. \$200 Cash Certificate..... Jerry & Mary Jo Janak
21. \$200 Cash Certificate..... Catholic Daughters #797
22. \$200 Cash Certificate..... Roy & Loretta Hardcastle
23. \$200 Cash Certificate..... Charlene & John Pillow
24. \$100 Cash Certificate..... Ann Kostelnik
25. \$100 Cash Certificate..... Tommy & Elsie Grahmann, Sr
26. \$100 Cash Certificate..... Paul & Theresa Voelkel

Presence Not Necessary to Win • Donation Not Required to Enter
For Information call: (361) 798-5888

Raffle Tickets may be mailed to:
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DRAWING ON SUNDAY, MAY 24, 2020, AT 5:00 p.m.
AT SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

CORONAVIRUS PRAYER

Let us pray, dearly beloved,
To God the Father almighty,
That He may extend His hand in mercy
To all those affected by the Coronavirus pandemic.

(Silent Prayer)

Almighty ever-living God,
Heal those who are ill,
Grant happy repose to those who have died,
Comfort those who mourn,
Give solace to all who are afraid and alone,
And protect those who are providing medical care.
Make us instruments of your peace
Among our brothers and sisters.
In your mercy, alleviate our fears
And eliminate this scourge,
So that we may come together again
To give you praise and to build your Kingdom.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen