

Sacred Heart Catholic Church and St. Mary's Catholic Church

PARISH BULLETIN

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Hall Rental: Please e-mail sacredheartrentals@live.com or call Diana and Mauro Rodriguez, 512-673-7422.

[Holtman Hall Contracts](http://sacredheart.rocknetx.com/) are posted on the church website, <http://sacredheart.rocknetx.com/>

Baptism: One class is required for parents and sponsors! Please call Fr. Dariusz or Deacon Roger or Deacon Alvin.

Marriage: A six-month notice is required. Please call Fr. Dariusz or Deacon Roger or Deacon Alvin.

Pro-Life Coordinator: Linda Kutach Strmiska, 512-560-7197 or lifeatshc@gmail.com.

Ministry to the Sick: When a parishioner is hospitalized or homebound, please contact the rectory.

Confessions: Rockne and String Prairie: A half-hour before Mass on Friday, Saturday and Sunday or by appointment.

Rosary: Prayed 30 minutes before Mass.

January 23, 2022 – Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASSES:	Monday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Cecil J. Friske – by Mike & Dena Matocha
	Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	(Rockne) For the Parishioners
	Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	(String Prairie) Melvin & Mildred Meuth – by Family
	Thursday	7:00 a.m.	(Rockne) Minnie Bartsch – by Ronny & Carolyn Hammons
	Friday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Maurice & JoAnn Goertz – by Nelda Thompson
	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Adolph & Cecilia Hoffman – by Estelle Seidel
	Sunday	8:00 a.m.	(Rockne) Peter Gessner – by Donna Gessner
		10:00 a.m.	(String Prairie) Dr. Neil Seidel – by Delores Burns

Weekend Masses continue to be live streamed. Only Saturday's 5:00 p.m. Mass will be shown in Holtman Hall and the Eucharist distributed.

The Rockne St. Ann's Society is hosting the Bastrop Deanery St. Ann's Meeting today, Sunday, January 23, at 2:00 p.m., in Holtman Hall. Linda Kutach Strmiska will be the speaker covering Pro-life topics. All women of the parish are invited to attend. (Jackie May)

Eucharistic Adoration at Sacred Heart: Thursdays 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. No sign up necessary.

Synod Listening Sessions Continue. We want to listen to what you have to say!

Sessions for this week are as follows:

January 23, St. Mary's Hall, 8:45AM-9:45AM

January 23, Holtman Hall Rockne (SPANISH session), 9:15AM-10:15AM

January 30, St. Mary's Hall, 8:45AM-9:45AM

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Parishioners may also respond to the Synod process anonymously in the following ways: 1) Pick up questions in foyer of your church, answer any or all of the questions, place your responses in the locked boxes marked Synod Questionnaire in the foyer of your church. You can also scan your questionnaire and email to SynodFeedback@shcrockne.church. 2) Check out the webpage at <https://stmarysp.church/synod-2>. You can answer any or all of the questions in the form, submit your answers. (Jackie May)

St. Ann's Society of Rockne will hold their February 2022 meeting on Monday, February 7, at 7:30 p.m., in the School Hall. All women of the parish are invited to attend. (Jackie May)

If you'd like an end-of-year statement regarding your donations in 2021, please call or email the office or call Laura at 512-554-4448. (Laura Wolbrueck)

EIM Workshop: See announcement below. (Jody Pruitt)

Sacred Heart Altar Servers: The altar server ministry is making plans to restart our program for youth who have received their first communion and are in 3rd-12th grades. More details will be provided on how to sign up and attend trainings in future bulletins. (Susan & Wayne Masur)

USCCB/MRS provides specialized pre-employment and employment services to foreign-born and U.S citizen trafficking survivors as part of the Dignity of Work Program funded by the Department of Justice Office for Victims of Crime. Through a network of 6 Catholic Charities Affiliates in Atlanta, Cleveland, Los Angeles, Philadelphia, Houston, and New Jersey, USCCB/MRS is addressing employment and educational gaps, enhancing existing skills, and progressively supporting survivors toward economic self-sufficiency. *For everyone who is trapped in a situation of slavery, that God will help to liberate them from their chains, we pray to the Lord.* (Linda Kutach Strmiska)

From November 1 through January 3, parishioners of Sacred Heart Church donated 290 pounds of food to the Bastrop County Food Pantry. Thank you for your support! Supplies are collected all year at Church. The bin is in the cry room. For more information on the BCFP, or if you need support, call 512-321-0033, 806 Fayette St., Bastrop, email- info@bastropfoodpantry.org, website-bastropfoodpantry.org. (Linda Kutach Strmiska)

The Cemetery of the Innocents is a powerful vehicle for drawing attention to the tragedy of abortion in America. The rows of white crosses presents a silent, non-verbal image that has a profound impact on all who pass by. The cemetery saddens and draws to prayer those who respect life. It touches the hearts of the undecided and comforts those who favor abortion. It compassionately draws to repentance those who have had an abortion. Pro-Life. (Deacon Roger)

The family of Clifford Redus wants to thank you all for your prayers, Mass offerings, words of comfort from each card and bringing of food. A special thank you to Father Dariusz for the funeral Mass. Also special thanks to Deacon Alvin for assisting with the funeral service. God's blessings to all of you.

Collection: \$4,954.28

Feast of the Holy Family: \$50.00

Solemnity of Mary: \$20.00

Jan. 29 Statue: Ben & Blondena Saucedo

Jan. 30 Statue: Kirk & Peggy Hanna

Chalice: Letitia Wilhelm

If you feel uneasy taking the Statue or Chalice home, don't feel obligated. But for your safety, please sanitize after receiving and before returning.

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Jan. 30 Cleaning: Michelle Mullens Team 6

Jan. 30 Statue: Kyle & Kelsey Hammons

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Collection: \$1,509.00

Online Offering: \$490.00

Online Capital Campaign: \$288.89

St. Mary's is hosting an EIM Workshop on March 6, 2022 after mass. You must have an EIM account (complete/submit the EIM Application at eappsdb.com/austin). Contact Jody Pruitt (512-332-6936) for assistance. Plan to arrive promptly as late arrivals will not be admitted and do not bring children to the workshop. (Jody Pruitt)