

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

## PARISH BULLETIN

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**Hall Rental:** Please e-mail [sacredheartrentals@live.com](mailto:sacredheartrentals@live.com) or call Diana and Mauro Rodriguez, 512-673-7422.

[Holtman Hall Contracts](https://catholic.irockne.com) are posted on the church website, <https://catholic.irockne.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 [lfeatshc@gmail.com](mailto:lfeatshc@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.

## April 10, 2022 – Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

<b>MASSSES:</b>	Monday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Thomas Muehr
	Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	(Rockne) NO MASS
	Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	(String Prairie) Stations of the Cross
		7:00 p.m.	(String Prairie) Sr. Lucille, Sr. Mary Rose, Fr. Alois Goertz and Clayton Seidel – by Anne Seidel and Family
	Thursday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne-NOTE TIME CHANGE) For the Parishioners
	Friday	5:00 p.m.	(String Prairie) Good Friday Services
		7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Good Friday Services
	Saturday	8:00 p.m.	(Rockne-NOTE TIME CHANGE) Wayne Mitchell – by Family
	Sunday	8:00 a.m.	(Rockne-Easter) Larry Friske – by Pat Friske
		10:00 a.m.	(String Prairie-Easter) Charlene Wilhelm – by Jimmy & Starr Waneck
		10:00 a.m.	(Rockne-Easter) Spanish Mass

The Easter Egg Hunt for all children will be today, Sunday, April 10, at 2:00 p.m., at Hilbig Park, at 4065 FM 535, just north of the Church. The CCE 7-12 grade students and Catholic Life Insurance Branch 12 will be hosting the event. Bring your children and grandchildren, join the fun, and visit with the Easter bunny. Students are asked to come at 1:30 p.m. to help hide the eggs. (Janet Rathmann)

Rockne-String Prairie Knights of Columbus Officers and Committeemen will meet on Tuesday, April 12, at 7:00 p.m., in Rockne. (Phil Fredericks)

There will be no all day Adoration on Holy Thursday.

There will be a Divine Mercy Retreat here at Sacred Heart on the Saturday after Easter, April 23, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., in the old hall. The guest speaker is Dr. Bryan Thatcher, Founder of the Eucharistic Apostles of Divine Mercy. To help us prepare, please place your name on the list at the back of Church if you plan to attend. Everyone is invited. (Patsy Meuth)

The Sunday after Easter, April 24, is the Feast of Divine Mercy. St. Faustina writes that Jesus wants this Feast to be preceded by a Novena (9 days of prayer) beginning on Good Friday. We will pray the Novena and Chaplet of Divine Mercy during the nine days after each of the Masses. Families are also encouraged to pray it in their homes. Please pick up a copy of the Novena at the back of Church. (Patsy Meuth)

Altar Servers (New and Current): Grades 4-6 are invited to an altar server training on Sunday, April 24, at 10:30 a.m. in Church. Grades 7-12 are invited to the training session on Sunday, April 24, after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Youth must complete their first communion before being eligible to serve. (Altar Server Ministry)

If you have a child that would be interested in learning about the American Heritage Girls Program, one of the American Heritage Girls will be available after Mass on Sunday, April 24 to answer your questions. Stop by to learn more. (American Heritage Girls Troop 2912)

Various Pro-Life and healing ministries have designated the month of April as Abortion Recovery Awareness Month. We want our society to understand the wounds abortion brings and the healing that is available. If someone you know is suffering after an abortion, you can find a healing program – Rachael's Vineyard at [www.abortionforgivenessstestimony.com](http://www.abortionforgivenessstestimony.com). Here you can read the stories of mothers and fathers who made the choice of abortion of how it impacted them. You are not alone. This can be the first step toward healing. (Deacon Roger)

I would like to thank all the ladies of St. Ann's Society for the delicious meal that they prepared for the priests and Bishop Vasquez Monday night. They were very pleased with the hospitality they received before Rockne's Penitential Services. (Deacon Roger)

Collection: \$4,219.00

Catholic Relief Services: \$40.00

April 16 Statue: Steve & Linda Kutach Strmiska  
April 17 Statue: Shirley Wright  
Chalice: Deacon Roger & Marcella Muehr

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

April 17 Cleaning: Sandra Izquierdo Team 1  
April 17 Statue: Paul & Sandra Goertz

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

Online Collection: \$750.00

Online Capital Campaign: \$355.00

We wish a happy birthday to Del Kubena on the occasion of his 93rd birthday, which he celebrates on April 13. May God bless you and keep you for many more years. (Fr. Dariusz)

St. Ann's Society will be sponsoring an Easter Egg Hunt, next Sunday, April 17, after the 10:00 a.m. Easter Mass. All kids aged 0 to 6th grade are invited, so be sure to bring their baskets and join the fun.

Save the date! The next Holy Rosary Women's ACTS Retreat will be held April 21 – 24. This is a wonderful way to take time away from the world and focus on your relationship with God. Applications can be found at [holynosaryacts.com](http://holynosaryacts.com) or from Megan Hammons or other team members. (Megan Hammons)

Weekly Men's Prayer Gathering every Friday from 6:45 – 8:00 a.m., in the parish hall. Coffee and donuts are provided. Contact Kurt Hammons for details 512-332-6044. (Kurt Hammons)