

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

## PARISH BULLETIN

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

## August 21, 2022 – Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

<b>MASSES:</b>	Monday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Special Intention – by Ernest & Dean Bartsch
	Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	(Rockne) David and Garrett Goertz – by Nelda Thompson
	Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	(String Prairie) Dominic, Vincent, Simon Muehr and Clayton Seidel – by Anne Seidel and Family
	Thursday	7:00 a.m.	(Rockne) For the Parishioners
	Friday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Bill & Janice Friske – by Mildred Moore
	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Ernest, Nora and Gordon Probst – by Lorene Redus
	Sunday	8:00 a.m.	(Rockne) Leon Grohman – by Carlyn Vandermeulen
		10:00 a.m.	(String Prairie) Mark Goertz – by Michael & Kathy Goertz

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.

Please pick up the 2022 Bazaar Chairpersons/Donation Slip in the Church entry vestibule. Also, the kitchen chairman needs additional chicken & dressing donations.

This weekend, the Policies of the Pastoral Council and Finance Council will be handed out. Our Church is transitioning from a Parish Council process to a Pastoral Council process. According to the Diocese, "A Pastoral Council is to be established and is to be operative in every parish and mission in the Diocese of Austin." Please read the policy on the Pastoral Council and Finance Council to understand the nature, roles, leadership, determination of members, terms, agendas, openness, communication, commissions, and training. (Linda Kutach Strmiska)

Rosary and Mass for the Unborn: See announcement below. (Phil Fredericks)

The Knights of Columbus 4th degree Assembly will lead the Patriotic Rosary at Ascension, Bastrop on Thursday, August 25, at 8:00 p.m. It is paramount for us, as Catholics, to pray for the good of our country before the November midterm elections. (Mike May)

Holy Rosary Women's ACTS Retreat: See announcement below. (Megan Hammons)

Thank you to everyone for buying and selling Bazaar Raffle tickets. Please turn in money and ticket stubs to Janet Rathmann at the Church door at any of the weekend Masses on or before Bazaar day, September 4. Otherwise, please turn them in at the raffle table in the lunch line in Holtman Hall on Bazaar day, no later than 2:00 p.m. Thanks for all your help! (Janet Rathmann)

RCIA classes to start on September 11. RCIA stands for Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. It is the normal process by which non-Catholics can enter the Catholic Church. However, RCIA classes are open to anyone wishing to learn more about the Catholic faith. RCIA classes for the 2022-23 liturgical year will begin on September 11 at 9:00 a.m., in Holtman Hall. Do you know someone who may be interested in attending? Please extend this invite. All are welcome. See the parish website for details. (Rodney Kadura)

Sacred Heart is looking for someone to take over the responsibility for Hall Rentals. If anyone is interested, please contact the rectory at [office@shcrockne.church](mailto:office@shcrockne.church). (Marsha Ireland)

WYD2023 is holding a Big Raffle Drawing: Grand prize - Hustler Raptor XD 54in Mower (value \$5200); 2nd Prize - Hyatt Regency Lost Pines Gift Certificate (value \$1096); 3rd Prize - \$1000 Visa Card; 4th Prize - Yeti Tundra Haul Cooler; \$20 each or \$50 for three. Contact Marsha Ireland 512-897-7050 or Bradley Wilhelm 512-629-2130 for information. (Marsha Ireland)

Collection: \$3,756.00

Assumption: \$110.00

Aug. 27 Statue: Phil & Rita Fredericks  
Aug. 28 Statue: Richard & Patsy Hoffman  
Chalice: Theresa Shumake

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

Aug. 28 Cleaning: Lupita Bodony Team 4  
Aug. 28 Statue: Barbara Seidel

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Collection (8/7): \$1,464.15

Collection (8/14): \$2,566.00

Assumption of Mary: \$50.00

Rosary and Mass for the Unborn will take place Wednesday, August 24, at 7:00 p.m., at St. Mary's, in String Prairie. Everyone is welcome to attend. (Phil Fredericks)

The next Holy Rosary Women's ACTS Retreat will be held August 25-28. Applications are available at the back of both Churches or at [holyroaryacts.com](http://holyroaryacts.com). Please also sign the Prayer Poster if you can commit to pray during the retreat weekend. If you have any questions, contact Megan Hammons at 512-689-6405. (Megan Hammons)