

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

## PARISH BULLETIN

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**Hall Rental:** Please e-mail [sacredheartallrentals@live.com](mailto:sacredheartallrentals@live.com) or call Marci Zimmerman, 925-487-8060.

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.

**Pastoral Council:** Please e-mail [pastoralcouncilshc@gmail.com](mailto:pastoralcouncilshc@gmail.com).

**Pro-Life Coordinator:** Linda Kutach Strmiska, 512-560-7197 or [lifeatshc@gmail.com](mailto: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.

## April 20, 2025 – Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

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| <u>MASSES:</u> | Monday    | 7:00 p.m.  | (Rockne) NO MASS   |
|                | Tuesday   | 7:00 p.m.  | (Rockne) Keith Saegert – by Friends  |
|                | Wednesday | 7:00 p.m.  | (String Prairie) Dominic, Vincent, Simon Muehr and Clayton Seidel –<br>by Anne Seidel and Family |
|                | Thursday  | 7:00 a.m.  | (Rockne) For the Parishioners  |
|                | Friday    | 7:00 p.m.  | (Rockne) Lyndell and Dwayne Meuth – by Glenn & Monica Kadura                                     |
|                |           | 7:30 p.m.  | (Rockne) Eucharistic adoration until 10:00 p.m.  |
|                | Saturday  | 5:00 p.m.  | (Rockne) Larry Friske – by Pat Friske  |
|                | Sunday    | 8:00 a.m.  | (Rockne) Virginia Goertz – by Gregory & Melanie Friske Family                                    |
|                |           | 10:00 a.m. | (String Prairie) Gilbert, Terry and Neil Seidel – by Hammons Family                              |
|                |           | 10:30 a.m. | (Rockne-Spanish Mass)  |

Weekend Masses continue to be live streamed. If you need help finding the Masses, contact Deacon Alvin.

The Finance Council will meet on Thursday, April 24, at 5:30 p.m., in the Holtman Hall Classroom. The agenda is posted at the back of the Church. (Bridget Wolf)

There will be a second collection next weekend, April 26 and 27 for the Seminarians and Priests Education and Formation.

The St. Ann's ladies have restocked the religious articles in the back of the Church with several nice gifts for First Communion. If you are interested in purchasing something please get with Nelda Thompson (512-321-5593), Patsy Meuth (512-304-8518) or Karen Tucker (512-332-6047). Also, they will be outside of Church next weekend, April 26 and 27 selling Clerical Endowment Funds. These make great gifts for First Communion, Graduation and Mother's Day. (Karen Tucker)

Divine Mercy Sunday and Novena to Divine Mercy: Next Sunday, April 27 is the Feast of Divine Mercy. Jesus told St. Faustina, "On this day, the very depths of My tender Mercy are open. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment.... Before the Day of Justice, I am sending the Day of Mercy." To prepare for the Feast, 1) Ask for God's Mercy (2) Be Merciful to Others (3) Completely Trust in Jesus. The Novena and Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed immediately after Mass each day this week. The Novena is available at the back of Church for use at home by families. Let us prepare ourselves to receive fully the abundant graces God wishes to give us. (Patsy Meuth)

Next Sunday, April 27, at 3:00 p.m., all are invited to participate in a Eucharistic Holy Hour and pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet. "As often as you hear the clock strike the third hour immerse yourself completely in My mercy, adoring and glorifying it, .... for at that moment mercy was opened wide for every soul. In this hour you can obtain everything for yourself and for others for the asking; it was the hour of grace for the whole world - mercy triumphed over justice." (Faustina Diary #1572) (Patsy Meuth)

Jamaica 2025 - Sacred Heart Fundraiser. Join us next Sunday, April 27, from noon to 6:00 p.m. for an exciting day. Enjoy a wide variety of delicious food, including burgers, tacos, hot dogs, nachos, popcorn, fresh fruit and much more. We will also have live music, plants for sale and games for the little ones. We look forward to seeing you there. (Rommy McDonald)

The Pro-Life Committee is collecting items for "Love Bags" for Mother's Day for the moms and the moms-to-be at the Bastrop Pregnancy Resource Center and the Gabriel Project. The items needed are make-up, lip gloss/ChapStick, body lotion and wash, shampoo, jewelry, hair accessories, water bottles, calendars (for schoolwork/work), notepads, pens, socks, prayer cards, gift cards and anything else a mom would like. The collection runs from April 26 through May 4. A collection box will be at the entrance for both Churches. (Linda Kutach)

We wish a happy birthday to Marcus Meuth on the occasion of his 89th birthday, which he celebrates on April 25. May God bless you and keep you for many more years. (Fr. Dariusz)

Collection: \$5,512.00

Online Collection: \$255.00

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| April 26 | Rosary:   | Monica Kadura                           | April 27 | Rosary:   | Mike May                     |
|          | Lector:   | Linda Kutach                            |          | Lector:   | Evelyn Brock                 |
|          | EM-Body:  | Mary Gail Bartsch, Cindy Hammons (Back) |          | EM-Body:  | Karen Tucker                 |
|          | EM-Blood: | Letitia Wilhelm                         |          | EM-Blood: | Stephen Klaus                |
|          | Statue:   | Phil & Rita Fredericks                  |          | Statue:   | Barbara Goertz               |
|          | Greeters: | Mary Gail Bartsch, Della Ott            |          | Chalice:  | Letitia Wilhelm              |
|          |           |   |          | Greeters: | Steve Strmiska, Stephen Beck |

## St. Mary's Catholic Church

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| April 27 | Rosary:   | Lucille Lancaster           |
|          | Lector:   | Paul Goertz                 |
|          | EM:       | Paul Goertz, Shirley Miller |
|          | Statue:   | Della Seidel                |
|          | Cleaning: | Sandra Goertz, Team 6       |

Collection: \$1,462.00

School Building: \$200.00

Online Collection: \$665.00

Online Building Fund: \$25.00

There is an Easter Egg Hunt today, Sunday, April 20, immediately after the 10:00 a.m. Mass for all children through the 6th grade. All visitors are welcome to come and join in the fun. (Carolyn Hammons)