Sacred Heart Catholic Church and St. Mary's Catholic Church
PARISH BULLETIN
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Hall Rental: Please e-mail sacredhearthallrentals@live.com or call Marci Zimmerman, 925-487-8060.
Holtman Hall Contracts are posted on the church website, https://catholic.irockne.com
Baptism: Please contact Fr. Dariusz, Deacon Roger, Deacon Alvin or Deacon Kyle.
Marriage: A six-month notice is required. Please contact Fr. Dariusz, Deacon Roger, Deacon Alvin or Deacon Kyle.
Pastoral Council: Please e-mail pastoralcouncilshc@gmail.com
Pro-Life Coordinator: Linda Kutach, 512-560-7197 or lifeatshc@gmail.com
Parish Office for Spanish speaking community: Contact 512-988-3062 or hispanic.coordinator@shcrockne.church
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 31, 2025 – Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASSES:	Monday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) NO MASS
	Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) NO MASS
	Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	(String Prairie) NO MASS
	Thursday	7:00 a.m.	(Rockne) NO MASS
	Friday	7:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Living and deceased members of Philip & Rosa R. Goertz Family – by Family
		7:30 p.m.	*(Rockne) Eucharistic adoration until 10:00 p.m.*
	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	(Rockne) John Thompson – by Nelda Thompson
	Sunday	8:00 a.m.	(Rockne) Living and deceased members of Ed & Annie Klaus Family – by Family
		10:00 a.m.	(String Prairie) Sebrina Feuerlein – by Cole & Crystal Hammons
		10:30 a.m.	(Rockne-Spanish Mass)

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

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, August 31. Otherwise, please turn them in at the raffle table in the lunch line in Holtman Hall on Bazaar Day, August 31, no later than 1:00 p.m. Thank you for all your help! (Janet Rathmann)

All women are invited to attend the Women's ACTS Retreat which is designed to lead you closer to our Lord. The retreat will be September 4 – 7. There are registration forms in the back of the Church. Please contact Laura Schaatt at 512-468-4948 or Vivian Mendel if you have any questions. (Laura Schaatt)

Ministry Fair Sunday, September 7, in the Old School Hall from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. All parishioners, visitors and youth are invited to attend. Members from church ministries will be available to visit about the volunteer opportunities, organizations and resources available in our parish. Please see the fliers and posters available at the back of Church with more details in Spanish and English. (Pastoral Council/Susan Masur)

OCIA classes to start on September 14. OCIA (formerly RCIA) is short for Order of Christian Initiation for Adults. It is the normal process by which non-Catholics can enter the Catholic Church. However, OCIA classes are open to anyone wishing to learn more about the Catholic faith. OCIA classes for the 2025-26 liturgical year will begin on September 14, 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)

The Mass intentions backlog has improved. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding. We will begin to receive intentions for 2026 in the next few months. If you have a special request for 2025, please contact the parish office. If you submit multiple intentions, please be advised some of the intentions may be offered with Father Dariusz's private Masses or sent to other priests to avoid a backlog in the future. If you would like to offer a stipend, cash is preferred for simplicity, or a check made payable to cash or Salvatorian Fathers. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office.

We wish a Happy Birthday to Virgil Meuth on the occasion of his 91st birthday, which he celebrates on September 3 and to Bill Bellinghausen on the occasion of his 83rd birthday, which he celebrates on September 5. May God bless you and keep you for many more years. (Fr. Dariusz)

Collection: $4,687.96   Assumption: $25.00   Gabriel Project: $200.00   Online Collection: $190.60

Sept. 6			Sept. 7	
Rosary:	Monica Kadura		Rosary:	August Boer
Lector:	Patsy Meuth		Lector:	Cheryl Osborn
EM-Body:	Leticia Martinez, Colleen Meuth (back)		EM-Body:	Melanie Friske
EM-Blood:	Larry Friesenhahn		EM-Blood:	Rosemary A. Ruiz
Statue:	Alois Goertz Family		Statue:	Kirk & Peggy Hanna
Greeters:	Carl Meuth, Don Klaus		Chalice:	Bonnie Shimek
			Greeters:	David Tucker, Vincent Goertz

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Sept. 7	
Rosary:	Ken & Lisa Kuehler
Lector:	Alan Seidel
EM:	Bill Evans and Florence Neal
Statue:	Matt & Denise Fisch
Cleaning:	Jody Pruitt, Team 1

Collection: $1,416.00   Building Fund: $200.00   Online Collection: $420.00
Online Building Fund: $25.00   Online Other: $15.00   Online Vocations Fund: $10.00

Mass intentions: See announcement above.

Odds and Ends booth needs houseware items. Please look around your home for unused items to donate. For more information, call Jan Goertz at 512-321-2310. (Jan Goertz/Crystal Hammons)

St. Mary's is hosting an EIM Workshop on Tuesday, September 30, at 6:30 p.m., in the parish hall. You must have an EIM account (complete and submit the EIM Application at VIRTUS.org) and pre-register to attend this workshop. Contact Jody Pruitt EIM Site Administrator for assistance if needed. jmtsprout@yahoo.com or 512-332-6936. This class is for new applicants only, if you need a refresher please log on to your VIRTUS account for the online refresher class. (Jody Pruitt)