

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

PARISH BULLETIN

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Hall Rental: Please e-mail sacredhearhallrentals@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

Para español/Spanish Coordinator (Veronica Barrera): 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.

September 7, 2025 – Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>MASSSES:</u> 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) Herman F. Goertz – by Nelda Thompson
	7:30 p.m.	(Rockne) Eucharistic adoration until 10:00 p.m.
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	(Rockne) Neil Goertz – by Classmates of 1985
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	(Rockne) Living and deceased members of Herman & Mary Goertz Family – by Family
	10:00 a.m.	(String Prairie) Mitchell Tiner – by Rex & Mary Tiner
	10:30 a.m.	(Rockne-Spanish Mass)

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

Ministry Fair Sunday, is today, 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)

There will be a St. Ann's meeting on Monday, September 8, at 5:30 p.m., in the old school hall. All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend. (Cindy Hammons)

OCIA classes to start next Sunday, 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 next Sunday, 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.

Mark your calendar, on Sunday, November 23, at 2:00 p.m. Sacred Heart Church is hosting a Benefit Recital. Our youth musicians and choir members from our communities will share their gifts and talents. Join us for an afternoon of inspiring music as we raise funds for the Restoration Project. All donations will go toward the Church remodeling project. Come be part of this uplifting event -- your presence and support will be greatly appreciated.

Collection: \$3,707.40

Online Collection: \$255.00

Sept. 13 Rosary: Cindy Hammons
 Lector: Kean Hartfield
 EM-Body: Blondena Saucedo, Kean Hartfield (back)
 EM-Blood: Mary Castor
 Statue: Carl Meuth Family
 Greeters: Carl Meuth, Don Klaus

Sept. 14 Rosary: Knights of Columbus
 Lector: Knights of Columbus
 EM-Body: Knights of Columbus
 EM-Blood: Knights of Columbus
 Statue: LaVerne Norris Family
 Chalice: Barbara Goertz
 Greeters: Knights of Columbus

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Sept. 14 Rosary: Knights of Columbus
 Lector: Knights of Columbus
 EM: Knights of Columbus
 Statue: Michael & Kathy Goertz
 Cleaning: Tish Evans, Team 2

Collection: \$2,476.00

Online Collection: \$605.00

Online Other: \$15.00

Online Capital Campaign: \$75.00

Online Vocations: \$10.00

We wish a happy birthday to Elaine Seidel on the occasion of her 86th birthday, which she celebrates today, September 7. May God bless you and keep you for many more years. (Fr. Dariusz)

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)