Saint Ann
CATHOLIC CHURCH

September 19, 2021
Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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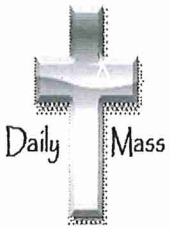
WEEKDAY HOLY MASS SCHEDULE
Monday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 a.m.
Wednesday 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday Communion Service 8:00 a.m.

NEW WEEKEND MASS HOURS
Saturday Mass 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Masses :
7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m.
11:30 a.m. (Spanish), 5:00 p.m.
(9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m. Live streamed on St. Ann Facebook)



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Confessions: Wednesday (*Miércoles)* 5:00 pm - 5:45 pm , First Fridays 8:30 am- 9:00 am, Saturday (*Sábado*) 4:00-4:45 p.m., and by appointment.
Adoration: Wednesday from 9:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m., every First Friday 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m., and every Third Wednesday from 7:00-8:00 pm
Holy Rosary is prayed 30 minutes before every weekend Mass.
Holy Hour of Reparation: First Saturday of each month starting at 8:30 a.m. in the Chapel.
Sacrament of Baptism: If you are interested in baptizing your child, please contact the parish office to register for the next class. Please bring your child's birth certificate with you.
Si usted está interesado en bautizar a su hijo/a por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial para inscribirse a la próxima platica. Es necesario que presente el certificado de Nacimiento para bautizar.
- Baptism Class: 2nd Thursday of the month, October 14, at 7:00 pm. Inside Divine Mercy Chapel.
- Sacrament of Baptism/Bautizo:
2nd Saturday of the month at 10:00 a.m. or by appointment
Wedding and Quinceañera: Contact the parish office at least six (6) months in advance. *Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial por lo menos seis (6) meses antes.*
Funeral: Contact the Parish Office. *Comuníquese a la oficina parroquial.*
Anointing of the Sick: If you are ill and in need of Anointing or Sacrament of the Sick please contact Fr. Johnson Lê at the Parish Office. If you are unable to attend Mass due to illness and would like to receive Communion at home, please contact the parish office or email Mary Morgan at four-star@gvec.net.
Si está enfermo y necesita la Unción del Sacramento del Enfermo, comuníquese con el Padre Phil en la oficina parroquial. Si no puede asistir a Misa a cause de una enfermedad y desea recibir la Comunión en su hogar, comuníquese con Iliana Ayón (210)649-6494.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, September 18,
5:00 p.m. †Charlie Meuth (D. Solarczyk)
†Harold Sowa (Mary Duelm)
†Joseph Cicherski (John & Mary Jo Bilicek)
Special Intention (Bernice Niemietz)

Sunday, September 19, ***Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time***
7:30 a.m. †William Aniol (Gary & Cindy Kirby)
9:30 a.m. †Lloyd Ashley (Ashley Family)
†Rose Jupe (Mike & Trisha Moy)
†Herman Doege (Tim & Kathy Doege)
11:30 a.m. People of the Parish
5:00 p.m. †Irma Luna (Margarita Alvarado)

Monday, September 20, ***St. Andrew Kim Tae-gon & Paul Chong Ha-sang***
8:00 a.m. Living and deceased benefactors of St. Ann Parish

Tuesday, September 21, ***St. Matthew Apostle and Evangelist***
8:00 a.m. Communion Service

Wednesday, September 22,
6:00 p.m. Living and deceased benefactors of St. Ann Parish

Thursday, September 23, ***St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest***
8:00 a.m. Prayer for Priests & Seminarians of the Archdiocese of San Antonio

Friday, September 24,
8:00 a.m. Living and deceased benefactors of St. Ann Parish

Saturday, September 25,
5:00 p.m. †Bea Collins (David & Donna Alderman)
†Dorothy Kloesel (David & Donna Alderman)
†Harold Sowa (Margie Arnold)
†Jesus Rivera (Miguel & Julia Osuna)

Sunday, September 26 ***Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time***
7:30 a.m. †Herman Doege (Linda Duelm)
9:30 a.m. †Bernice & †Leo Janysek (Janice Heubaum)
†Kathleen Pawelek (Janice Heubaum)
†Leroy Titzman (Michelle Titzman Family)
†Helen Klepac (Ken & Debbie Klepac and Girls)
11:30 a.m. †Antonio Robles & †Antonio Robles Jr. (Adela Robles)
†Ofelia Robles & †Israel Robles (Adela Robles)
Birthday Blessings for Teresa Gonzalez on her 82nd Birthday (Family)
5:00 p.m. †Agnes Kotara (Benigna Pawelek)

Daily Readings - (September 19-26, 2021)

Sunday:	Wisdom 2:12,17-20; James 3:16-4:3	Mark 9:30-37
Monday:	Ezra 1:1-16	Luke 8:16-18
Tuesday:	Ephesians 4:1-7,11-13	Matthew 9:9-13
Wednesday:	Ezra 9:5-9	Luke 9:1-6
Thursday:	Haggai 1:1-8	Luke 9:7-9
Friday:	Haggai 2:1-9	Luke 9:18-22
Saturday:	Zechariah 2:5-9,14-15	Luke 9:43-45
Sunday:	Numbers 11:25-29; James 5:1-6	Mark 9:38-43,45-48

Our Sanctuary lamp this week is in Birthday Blessings for Salvador Jimenez, by his family.

Our Altar Flowers are in birthday blessings for Linda Ortiz, by her family and in loving memory of Rose Jupe, by her husband Dennis Jupe,

We pray for our deceased: Salvador Gonzalez, Margarita Terrazas, Kailey Kotara, Pantaleon Gonzales Jr., Herman Burg, Mary Lois Ramirez, Mary Ann Gray, Cecilia Padalecki, Tommie Jendrusch, Armando Mendoza, George Louis Canales, Lilia Santos, Baby Bayleigh Wootan, Deacon Scott Donaho, Bernice Wiatrek, Polly Ann Fowler, Layton Thibodeaux Sr, Helen Klepac, Fr. Michael Bouzigard SJ, Sally Skloss, Frank Boudreau, Josefina Labrada, Helen Malik, Esther Rita Jarzombek, Lloyd Ashley, Kathryn Tschoepe Reed, Daniel Hosek, Barbara Hansmann, Daniel Quintero Sr., Maria C. Garza, Judee VandenBusch, Samuel V. Quintanilla, Eva Barba, Maximina Amador Feliciano, Charlie Sievers, Rose Jupe, Eugenio Vega, Laura Figueroa, Joyce Castiglione, Don Street, Justin Kvapil, Patricia Robertson, Dessie Campos, Bernice Rabel, Zelda Melina Deluna, Kevin Burt Hankinson, Rev. Kazimierz Olesky, Robert Smith, Wynnona Rist, Charles Meuth, Roberto Gonzalez III, Rev. Joseph Rasky, Rene Fernandez III, Herman Doege, Harold Sowa, Raul Labrada, Michael Jupe, Regina Bower, Helen Shaw, Lorene Strelczyk.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE September 25 & 26, 2021

Saturday, September 25, 2021 (5:00 pm Mass)
Mass Coordinator: William Mainz
Hospitality: Mike Trainer, Abby Hernandez
Altar Servers: Zach Hage
Lectors: Chris Traugott, Robert Cinek
Extraordinary Ministers: Berniece Niemietz, Linda Nye
Sanitizers: Ministers

Sunday, September 26, 2021 (7:30 am Mass)
Mass Coordinator: Deacon
Altar Servers:
Lectors: racjel Perez, Sulema Vielma
Extraordinary Ministers: Cindy Kirby, Philip Villanueva
Sanitizers: Ministers

Sunday, September 26, 2021(9:30 am Mass)
Mass Coordinator: Janet Thelen
Altar Servers: Andrew Blandford, Luke Lingo
Hospitality: Michael McMahon, Janice McMahon, David Aniol
Lectors: Mary Helen Moralez, Alex Hollingsworth
Extraordinary Ministers: Janice Heubaum, Patricia Young
Sanitizers: Ministers

Sunday, September 26, 2021(11:30 am Mass)
Mass Coordinator: Evangelina Rizo
Hospitality: Josue Trejo, Ramiro Picas, Freddy Trejo
Altar Servers: Brenda Picas, America Picaz, Aixa Rodriguez
Lectors: Deborah Labrada, Alma Martin
Extraordinary Ministers: Jesse Aguilera, Cindy Ortiz
Sanitizers: Ministers

Sunday, September 26, 2021(5:00 pm Mass)
Mass Coordinator: Deacon
Hospitality:
Altar Servers: Miguel Aguilar, Gabriel Aguilar, Anahi Aguilar
Lectors: Michelle Uribe, Neely Richardson
Extraordinary Ministers: Lorraine Uribe, Brayden Bennett
Sanitizers: Ministers

PARISH GATHERINGS

Sunday, September 19,
8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Blood Drive, Goertz Hall
10:30 a.m. Religious Education Kinder-8th, C. Center
1:30 p.m. R.C.I.A. Catechetical Center
6:15 p.m. Confirmation Classes I & II C. Center
Monday, September 20,
6:30 p.m. Walking with Purpose, Catechetical Center
Wednesday, September 22,
9:00 a.m. Walking with Purpose, Catechetical Center
6:30-8:00 p.m. LIFE Night, Youth Ministry gathering
Saturday, September 25,
8:00 a.m. Breakfast Club Faith Sharing (Women)
8:00 a.m. Cemetery Volunteer Workday
Sunday, September 26,
10:30 a.m. Religious Education Kinder-8th, C. Center
1:30 p.m. R.C.I.A. Catechetical Center
6:15 p.m. Confirmation Classes I & II C. Center

Please pray for our sick Parishioners and friends:
Wayne Bailey, Sheila Cantrell, Debbie Eippert, Donald Fey Jr., Harold Friederick, Ez Hernandez, Larry Hernandez, Caleb Keller, Myrtle Kolodziej, Richie Kotara, Robert Lynn, Jane Lorenz, Tim Murphy, Ronnie Neal, Pam Pioro, Mary Lois Ramirez, Karlee Riser, Michelle Ryan, Jace Steubing, Hazel Van Meter, Ashley Wengler, Margaret Whitmire, Edward Doege, Gilberto Urdiales Jr., Linda Duelm, Ron VandenBusch, Walter Keller, Chester Kolodziej, Henry Moczygemba Jr., Doug Young, David Alderman Sr., James Earl Gray, Leonard Schroeder, Chris Banduch, Judd Guidry, Carol Dallas, Jim Niemietz, Maru Barba, Sebastian Cerda, Richard O'Rear, Donna Miller, Brian Crane, Bryar Crane, Meghan Akin, Roslyn Anderson, Terri Dominick, Luis Quintero, Becky Ybarra, Scott Reinhard.
If you know of someone who is ill and needs our prayers, please contact the parish office to be added to our prayer list.
Thank you for your prayers.

Welcome to our Church. Let the church always be a place of mercy and hope, where everyone is welcome… Pope Francis.

New Parishioners Registration forms are available in the Church foyer and in the Parish Office. You may also register online at www.stannlv.org, please update your family information if you have moved or made any changes. Thank you.

We Pray for Vocations and our Families!

As we enter this new Catechetical Year in this month of September, we invite families to receive the Pilgrim Statue of Mary to pray for the families of our community and for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life. Thank you for your prayers and support of vocations and for family life!

We thank the family of Cory & Regina Frazier, for receiving the Statue of Mary and praying for the families of our parish and for vocations to priesthood and religious life.

The Mass is the highest form of Christian charity and the most perfect worship of God. It represents the perfect sacrifice of Calvary, and so it is the priest's essential duty and his greatest honor to offer Holy Mass. In all ages, the Christian faithful have traditionally offered alms for the celebration of the Mass, for the support of the priest and the maintenance of the church where the sacred rites are celebrated. The faithful may request that Mass be offered for a special intention, often for another individual, living or deceased. To submit a Mass request please contact the office.

ROSARY CIRCLE

Members will lead a Scriptural rosary on **Thursday, October 7, at 9 a.m.** after the morning mass celebrating the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. Everyone is welcome to join in praying for the many needs of our Church, our families, our country and the entire world during these times.

La Vernia Food Pantry

We invite you to come help at the La Vernia Food Pantry on Saturday, **October 16th, from 8:30-11a.m.** Each church has been assigned certain food items to contribute and St. Ann is responsible for canned soups and fruits. Food items may be left in the baskets in the church foyer. Should you wish to make a monetary donation make the check payable to either **THE MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE** or **LV FOOD PANTRY.** Your donations and time are greatly appreciated.

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We Invite You To The Ministry of Altar Serving

Are you interested in becoming an Altar Server? *Have you received First Holy Communion? Do you attend mass regularly?* Come and be a minister at the table of the Lord. If you would like to serve or have any questions, see Deacon Enrique or please call the Parish Office.

FAITH FORMATION

Catechetical Sunday, September 19
"Say the Word and My Soul Shall Be Healed"

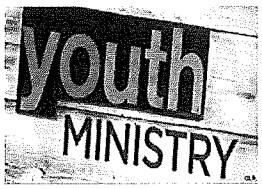
As we celebrate Catechetical Sunday, we would like to say a special Thank You to the 33 volunteers who are graciously giving their time to catechize the children of our parish in our Catholic faith.

Loving Father, pour forth your Holy Spirit upon me that I may be a good catechist of your Word, your Son, Jesus Christ. Render my mind and heart so open, receptive and responsive to your Holy Spirit that, like Mary, I might become a living instrument of your Word to others. Help me to be a faithful witness to Gospel life so that your Church may become ever more alive. Let the fire of your love so enkindle my heart that I may be an instrument of drawing others to love of you in the Church of your Son. I ask this through Christ our Lord. -Amen-

CCD Student Drop Off and Pick Up

To assist with the morning traffic flow for drop off and pick up on CCD Sundays all vehicles will need to enter from FM 1346 and exit onto Hwy 87. We will have traffic control volunteers guiding the traffic flow. Please display the sign with your children's names in your vehicle window when picking up your child(ren). Doors will open at 10:15 am for drop off. Classes will end at 11:30 am. All students attending the 11:30 am Spanish Mass will walk together to the church at 11:25 am. Thank you for your cooperation.

We look forward to a wonderful Faith Formation year. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our DRE, Tammy Elrod at the Parish Office.



YOUTH MINISTRY NIGHT IS BACK!

St. Ann's invites all high school teens to attend Life Night. Life Nights are for high school students in grades 9-12. Youth Ministry Core members are committed to providing teens a dynamic program to help them follow Jesus Christ by inviting them to become more active in the Church, more active in the Church's liturgical tradition, and more energized to grow and live the Catholic faith. At Life Night, we'll eat together, discover the greatness of our faith, share our successes and struggles together, and then go forth to be "the light of the world, the salt of the earth."

Our next Life Night will be on ***Wednesday, September 22, 2021*** from 6 pm – 8 pm. We will start in the Catechetical Center with food, music, and games. Then we will move to the church for our first XLT (Xalt our God) where we will share together in a time of Praise, Worship, and Adoration. Upcoming Life Nights on will be on the following Wednesday nights for 2021 from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm.

9/22/21	10/13/21	11/17/21
9/29/21	10/27/21	12/08/21
10/6/21	11/10/21	12/15/21

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PUMPKIN PATCH

Save the date

October 17-31, 2021

Bring the family and enjoy picking out pumpkins, games, storytelling, and a fall photo opportunity!

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September 11-12, 2021

	SUNDAY OFFERING	BUILDING FUND
Church Support	$ 8,545 .00	$ 920.00
Online Giving	$ 718.00	$ 82.50
Children's Donation	$ 195.38	---
TOTAL	**$ 9,458.38**	**$ 1,002.50**

Benevolence Fund Second Collection $1,374.37

Giving is a form of worship when it is done in God's name. Sunday offerings are by far the largest portion of financial support our parish receives, and is critical to our ongoing vitality and sustainability of the Mission of Jesus Christ.

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ST. ANN FALL FESTIVAL SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2021

FESTIVAL IS TWO WEEKS AWAY!!!!

KITCHEN: Please stop by after mass, in the Church foyer and sign-up to volunteer in our Kitchen. We need help on Saturday and Sunday. Please help us make this Festival a success!

Turkey Festival Cornbread: Now is the time to prepare double batches of cornbread and freeze until Thursday September 30. Please do not substitute your favorite recipe because it may alter the taste of the dressing.

4 cups yellow cornmeal
3/4 cup shortening
2 cups all-purpose flour
4 beaten eggs
5 tsp baking powder
2 tsp salt
4 cups milk

Combine dry ingredients. Stir together all ingredients. Pour into greased 9x13 pan or 12" skillet. Bake at 420 degrees for 35 minutes. When completely COLD crumble and store in large freezer bag in freezer. Thaw in refrigerator on Thursday and bring to C of C kitchen at 8:30 am Saturday, October 2nd. Thank You!

TRAFFIC CONTROL: We need **VOLUNTEERS** to help with directing traffic. If you can help, please call Gerry Kvapil at (210) 219-7555. Thank you!

RAFFLE TICKETS: Raffle tickets are available in the Church foyer or office. Please return all tickets sold or unsold to the Church office before October 3rd or to the C of C Hall the day of the festival.

LIVE AUCTION: Sign-up sheets are in the Church foyer for those interested in contributing to the live auction. Please contact August Moczygemba with any questions (210) 394-7961.

BINGO: We would like to thank everyone who has donated items for Bingo. If you have a donation, please drop it off in the church office or contact Jennifer Lamb (210) 831-1115.

COUNTRY STORE: Items are needed in the Country Store such as crafts and homemade cakes and pies. Please contact Rosemarie Kotara (210) 275-7185 for more information.

SILENT AUCTION: New items are needed for the Silent Auction, such as Gift baskets, Home and Garden Décor. You can also give a cash donation and we will purchase items in need.
Call Patricia Jimenez (830) 868-1012 for more information.

DESSERTS NEEDED: We need tasty deserts: cakes, pies, cookies, brownies, etc. for the Dessert Booth. No refrigeration available. Please bring to the C of C hall the morning of the festival, after 8:00 am.

KIDS GAMES: Prizes or monetary donations are needed for our Kids Games. Please drop donations off at the Church office. We appreciate your generosity in making our Kids Games a success.

TURKEY ENVELOPES: DONATIONS ARE USED TO DEFRAY THE COST OF FESTIVAL KITCHEN EXPENSES. RETURN YOUR DONATION TO THE CHURCH OFFICE OR DROP IT IN THE BOX IN THE CHURCH FOYER. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!!

St. Francis Day Pet Blessing

We extend an invitation to the Blessing of pets that will be celebrated on Saturday October 2nd at 10:00 a.m. in the churchyard in celebration of the Feast Day of St. Francis of Assisi, October 4th.

A Blessing of Animals, in many congregations, witnesses to God's and the Church's love, care, and concern for creation. As we recognize our mutual interdependence with God's creatures, the Church's witness of stewardship of creation is strengthened.