

**OUTSIDE OUR PARISH:**

**Couple Prayer Series.** "For Two Shall Become One" January 8<sup>th</sup> – February, Thursdays Sp/Eng- San Jose Hall- Hereford. January 9<sup>th</sup> – February, Fridays Eng- St. Hyacinth's Hall and Sp- St. Joseph's. All couples invited, you don't have to be married nor Catholic to attend. Cost \$30.00/couple.

"The heart of a woman is foundational to her receptive nature." Genius of Womanhood Next Natural Family Planning January 10<sup>th</sup> – St. Mary's Cathedral 806-359-3042.

**Save the Date – Walk and Mass for Life, January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2015.** "You are His Masterpiece. The Lord invites each of us to behold ourselves and each other with the same wonder and awe." [www.prolifeamarillo.org](http://www.prolifeamarillo.org)

**Southwest Liturgical Conference** January 21-24, 2015. Amarillo Civic Center. Register at [www.swlc.org](http://www.swlc.org)

**Catholic Tour:** Exposition of the Holy Shroud of Turin, Italy, is scheduled between April 19 & June 24, 2015. Miraculous cures have been attributed to the Holy Shroud which has been verified many times by world renowned scientists over the centuries. Cost is \$3,589.00 per person/double room from New York JFK or Newark EWR airports.

**Cruise the Rhine River from Amsterdam, Netherlands to Basel, Switzerland, with Msgr. Joe Bixenman, August 9-16, 2015.** \$2,331/PP + Air, Call Bill Dorsey, T Anchor Travel 806-290-0734 for reservations. "Frances and I took this cruise in 2012, and it exceeded our every expectation." See details in ad in West Texas Catholic.

**Marriage help:** Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? **Retrouvaille** has helped many couples through difficult times in their marriages. If you are willing to try and rebuild the loving relationship you once had, please give Retrouvaille a try. Our next program will be starting the weekend of January 30<sup>th</sup>-February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015. Pre-register call Paul or Patty at 806-420-1520 or email [retrepairamarillo@gmail.com](mailto:retrepairamarillo@gmail.com) or visit [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com)

**Catholic Engagement Encounter (CEE)** is an in-depth, private, personal, marriage preparation experience within the context of the Catholic faith and values. The weekend retreat begins Friday at 8:00 pm and goes through Sunday afternoon. They are held at the Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center four times in 2015 – Feb. 20-22, May 15-17, July 10-12, and Nov. 13-15. Register: Diocese of Amarillo 806-383-2243 ext 116. Also, we are looking to increase our Team Couples. If you are a married couple for more than one year and are considering becoming a part of the CEE team please contact Henry or Lori Wilhelm at 806-367-5099.

**Engaged?** Natural Family Planning [www.prolifeamarillo.org](http://www.prolifeamarillo.org) "Both give themselves definitively and totally to one another. They are no longer two; from now on they form one flesh. What therefore God has joined together, let no man put asunder" (CC, #2364).

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**Would you like to receive this bulletin by email?** If so, please email [Sunday.bulletin@hotmail.com](mailto:Sunday.bulletin@hotmail.com) to request.

**FOR BULLETIN NOTICES** – Please contact Mindi Wieck (cell: 346-0533); email at [cmdhpwieck@gmail.com](mailto:cmdhpwieck@gmail.com)

**St. Mary's Prayer Warriors!** If you would like to add your email address to the prayer line, please feel free to send email address to: [suzyhicks@midplains.coop](mailto:suzyhicks@midplains.coop) All are welcome to St. Mary's Prayer Warriors!

**Please pray for all the sick in our parish family:** Tatum Przilas, Kyle Reinart, Mary Kolac, Gene Schenk, Gary Yosten, John Wilson, Bill Stocker, Kyle Henderson, Donna Kuhnert, Severo Gomez, Jose Sanchez, Ashlee Trevino (Jose's & Ali's granddaughter), Audree Rose Gomez (Jeff & Faunette Stocker's granddaughter), Sadie Brandt, Patsy Huseman, Mike Smith, Oscar Olvera, Collier Friemel.

If you wish to have your name removed, please contact Mindi Wieck.  
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**If you plan to use or rent the church or parish hall,** please contact Fr. Daniel or Debbie Batenhorst at least 3 months before the event. Thank you for your consideration.

**Baptism or Wedding in your or a loved one's future?** Please contact Fr. Daniel at least 1 month in advance for baptisms and 6 months advance for weddings.

**FOR MASS INTENTIONS** please call Father Daniel or leave the intention in the collection basket.

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**Sunday, January 11, 2015 – The Baptism of the Lord**

**LITURGY SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK:**

- Monday, January 12 –**  
8:00 a.m.- Mass for Alta Mae Hartman by Lorene Hartman and Family
- Tuesday, January 13 – St. Hilary**  
7:00 p.m. – Mass for the Knights of Columbus
- Wednesday, January 14 –**  
8:00 a.m.- Mass for Christian Mothers
- Thursday, January 15 –**  
8:00 a.m. – Mass for the People
- Friday, January 16 –**  
NO MASS
- Saturday, January 17 – St. Anthony**  
5:00 p.m. – Mass for Christian Mothers
- Sunday, January 18 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
8:30 a.m. – Mass for Christian Unity

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR Saturday, January 17**

- Lector: Laurie Wegman
- Altar Servers: Kelly Wegman
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Galen & Mary Reinart

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR Sunday, January 18**

- Lector: Frances Dorsey
- Altar Servers: Sonora Garrett, Chance Butcher, Charles Russell
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Denise Schenk & Andrea Snead

**PARISH STEWARDSHIP**

1-4-15	
Regular:	\$ 908.00
Children:	\$ 12.00
Hall Rent:	\$ 200.00

The second collection will be on January 25<sup>th</sup> for \_\_\_\_\_. Please be generous!

**Weekly Readings:**

- Sunday 01/11:** Is 42:1-4, 6-7; Ps 29:1-4, 9-10; Acts 10:34-38; Mk 1:7-11
- Monday 01/12:** Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9; Mk 1:14-20
- Tuesday 01/13:** Heb 2:12; Ps 8:2, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:21-28
- Wednesday 01/14:** Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Mk 1:29-39
- Thursday 01/15:** Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-11; Mk 1:40-45
- Friday 01/16:** Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3, 4, 6-8; Mk 2:1-12
- Saturday 01/17:** Heb 4:12-16, Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 2:13-17
- Sunday 01/18:** 1 Sm 3:3-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10; 1 Cor 6:13-15, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42

**ST. MARY’S PARISH FELLOWSHIP NOTES:**

**Weekly Bible Study, Apologetics and social group** that meets at the Dorsey’s home on Thursdays at 7 pm. 23360 Brown Rd., Canyon. 656-0766

**Just a reminder** – Scheduled breakfasts after Sunday Mass. 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday is KC’s; 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday is Christian Mothers; 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday is CYO; 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday is Parish cookie Sundays.

**Parish Cookie Sunday**- The next Parish Cookie Sunday will be Jan. 25<sup>TH</sup>. Ladies who volunteers to help are Crystal Garrett, Jane Butcher, Kristi Batenhorst, Aubrey Grady.

**Please join your parish family at the hall for food and fellowship after Sunday Mass.** Please remember, if it is your organization’s turn to provide refreshments, it is also your organization’s turn to clean up afterwards. ALSO, BEFORE YOU LEAVE, PLEASE BE SURE ALL DOORS ARE LOCKED, INCLUDING THE NW DOOR LEADING INTO THE BATHROOMS.

**CHRISTIAN MOTHERS NOTES:**

**Tuesday, January 20<sup>th</sup>. Come join us for 7:00 Mass followed by a Christian Mother’s Meeting.**

**The next Christian Mothers Breakfast will be on January 11<sup>th</sup>.** Ladies who volunteered to help are Gloria Gomez, Suzy Hicks, Joan Stocker, Bridget Guerrero.

**The food drive that Christian Mothers** is doing will be taken to Catholic Charities in Amarillo before Christmas. Drop off is located in the narthex of the Church. Some items they need are canned meats such as tuna & chicken, soups, peanut butter, can veggies & fruit, and macaroni & cheese. Thank you very much!

**Christian Mothers Library**- The Christian Mothers have put together a library of Christian books for members of the parish to borrow. It is located in then parish hall, so please take a look next time you are there!

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS:**

**The next Knights of Columbus** meeting will be January 13, 2015 at 8:00 pm

**Community Notes:**

**The Randall County Fire Dept. hosting a CPR/First Aid Class in Umbarger.** The class will be held on a Monday at 7:00 pm during January or February at the Fire Station. We are trying to get a head count for the class. Interested parties please contact Ryan Wieck 806-681-5566. The cost for class \$5.00.

**The Senior Citizens Center of Umbarger** now has a room full of exercise equipment that has been donated by members of our community. We are currently exercising on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday at 7 pm, Thursday at 5 pm, and Friday at 8 am (plus extra times in between for those who cannot attend those times.) Also our library is open for lending during exercise times. We welcome new members to both the Senior Citizens and the Support Community! Please contact Cheryl Robinson at 290-2848 or any member or just come join us for a good workout.