

St. Mary's & Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Churches



Diocese of Amarillo

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Mass Schedule			
		Umbarger	Happy
Mon, Oct 24		No Mass	No Mass
Tue, Oct 25		7 PM - School Sister of St Francis	No Mass
Wed, Oct 26		8 AM - Respect Life	No Mass
Thu, Oct 27		8 AM - Presidential Elections	7 PM - Vocations
Fri, Oct 28	Sts Simon & Jude	8 AM	No Mass
Sat, Oct 29		5 PM - David Doshier	No Mass
Sun, Oct 30	31 st Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 AM - Parish Family	11:15 AM - Parish Family

ST. MARY'S

Date	Lector	Servers	Eucharistic Ministers	Gifts
Sat, Oct 29	Laurie Wegman	Volunteers	Roger & Kristi Batenhorst, Volunteer	Volunteers
Sun, Oct 30	Landon Finke	Kelley Wegman, Jillian Johnson, Alex Butcher	Jamie Pender, Dustin Artho, Mike Wegman	Volunteers

Divine Mercy Chaplet: 1st Sunday at 10 AM
Anointing of the Sick: 2nd weekend after mass
Question and Answers w/ Fr Christopher:
 2nd Sundays at 10:00 a.m. in the hall
CYO 4th Sunday 6:00 pm. at the Hall

CYO Anyone in grades 7th - 12th is welcome to join St. Mary's Catholic Youth Organization. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Brandon or Tina Finke @ [806-683-7777](tel:806-683-7777) (text or call) or by email finkes5@sbcglobal.net

All Saints Carnival will be with the 4th Sunday activity for the CYO on **October 23rd** from **5-8 at the parish hall**. This event will include **all CCD classes!** Let's have the kids dress up as their favorite Saint and we will have a costume contest and games. We will have a signup sheet this Sunday for families to coordinate activities such as ring toss, little debbie cake walk, bob for apples, costume contest, painting pumpkins, bean bag toss, etc. If each family takes one, it won't be so overwhelming for the CYO. There will be a **Frito Pie supper** provided and we can do **potluck desserts**.

October 30, Cookie Sunday: Tina Finke, Rachel Batenhorst, Nadia Whitten, Kristi Batenhorst, & Suzy Hicks.

Food Drive The Christian Mothers are sponsoring a food drive to benefit the Buff-A food pantry at the Catholic Student Center. The food pantry is especially in need of canned protein or other non-perishable "main dish" items. Other items that are appreciated are toilet paper, bars of soap, and shampoo. Items can be dropped off in the narthex or the parish hall. The Buff-A food pantry serves 50-60 people monthly including many families our area.

Parish Finances October 16

Regular Collection: \$1,155
 Children's Collection: \$14
 Second Collection: \$276
 Preparing the Way: \$862

Sausage Festival News Please remember your Country Store for the Festival again with canned jellies, hot sauce, pickles, and as always baked goods including bread, bread, bread. Call Jude or Marian Batenhorst @ 806.452.7019 and 806.674.8883 or email jaydubya89@gmail.com.

We will have sign up sheets in the Narthex after Mass on both Saturday and Sunday starting this weekend.

If you would like to donate cash for the purchase of beef/pork for sausage, please contact Blake & Stephanie Crockett or Brandon & Tina Finke

Jacob & Rachel Batenhorst are collecting donations to raffle off at the festival. Please let them know if you have something for this. Both goods and services are welcome! We can pick things up or arrange a drop off. Call [\(970\) 481-1830](tel:970-481-1830) for Rachel or [\(970\) 481-1831](tel:970-481-1831) for Jacob.

The chairs for each festival committee are requested to attend the Parish Council on Tuesday, Nov 1 to discuss any last minute items.

Weekly Bible Study, Apologetics and Social Group is back. We meet at the Dorsey's home on Thursdays at 7pm. 23360 Brown Rd, Canyon, 806.656.0766.

HOLY NAME OF JESUS

Parish Finances October 16

Regular Collection: \$261
 Second Collection: \$29
 Preparing the Way: \$58



St. Ann's in Bovina is hosting their annual Thanksgiving dinner on November 6 from 11:30 am to 2 pm in their parish hall, 401 3rd Street. \$12 for adults and \$6 for children under 6. Take-out plates are available.



The Catholic Vote



**Forming Consciences for Faithful
 Citizenship A Call to Political
 Responsibility from the Catholic Bishops
 of the United States**

<http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/faithful-citizenship/upload/forming-consciences-for-faithful-citizenship.pdf>

The School Sisters of St Francis invite you to the Harvest of Blessings, Nov. 19th at Cornerstone Ranch Events Center in Bushland. Leal's Restaurant will be catering their special Shiner Bock Mesquite Grilled Ribeye Steak / Chicken Breast Dinner with Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Green-chili corn, and homemade rolls. Homemade desserts will be in the *Just-a-Bite* Corner as usual. Tickets are \$100 for 2 people. Includes delicious Dinner for 2, Dancing to AFK, Live and Silent Auctions, Calcutta Boards, and lots of fun! Each ticket is a Reverse Raffle for a choice in the Grand Prizes \$10,000 Shopping Spree at Sound by Design in Amarillo or Trip to Vienna, Austria for 2 or \$7,500 Visa Card. Call (806) 537-3182 for tickets



Encounter With God's Call is a seminary discernment retreat for high school juniors through college-age men who are curious about seminary or who are discerning the priesthood. Encounter is a time to discern God's will for your life and to make a visit to our Seminary. Come encounter Christ and his call to priestly ministry in the quiet setting of Conception Abbey in northwestern Missouri. Retreatants pray the Liturgy of the Hours and attend Sunday Mass with seminarians and the monastic community. Some features of the retreat include:

- Seminarian testimonies
- Small group discussions
- Sports and social activities
- Vocation Q&A Panel
- And much more!

Choose to stay for Monday to see what seminary classes are like and to meet faculty and staff.

NEWS FROM AROUND THE DIOCESE

FOR BULLETIN NOTICES – Bulletin Deadline: Thursday @ noon. For St Mary’s please contact Lana Bracken cell: 806.640.4672; email: LanaSueBracken@gmail.com. For Holy Name of Jesus please contact Fr. Christopher s.c.schwind@gmail.com

Baptism or Wedding Please contact Fr. Christopher at least 1 month in advance for baptisms and 6 months advance for weddings.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Umbarger: Saturdays at 4:30 pm and Sundays at 8:00 am or by appointment. **Happy:** Sundays at 10:45 a.m. and Thursday at 6:30 p.m. or by appointment.

To use or rent the church or parish hall, please contact Fr. Christopher or Debbie Batenhorst at least 3 months before the event.

FOR MASS INTENTIONS please call Fr Christopher or leave the intention in the collection basket.

Please pray for all the sick in our parishes

ST. MARY’S: Aline Stocker, Mary Kolac, Gene Schenk, John Wilson, Bill Stocker, Kyle Henderson, Donna Kuhnert, Jose Sanchez, Ashlee Trevino (Jose’s & Ali’s granddaughter), Audree Rose Gomez (Jeff & Faunette Stocker’s granddaughter), Patsy Huseman, Mike Smith, Oscar Olvera, Collier Friemel, Marcella Brandt, Tuffy Schenk, Vince Meyer, Lusi Ortiz (Cheile Ortiz’s sister)

HOLY NAME OF JESUS: Manuel Armendais, Petra Soto, Mario Soto, Casandra Castro, Cruz Chapa

Ministries of Charity Anyone involved with a ministry of charity such as chaplaincies, bringing communion to the homebound, visitors to hospitals and nursing facilities, prison ministries, and those involved in outreach through Catholic Charities is **invited to a special Mass with Bishop Zurek on Oct 18, 7:00 PM at St. Mary’s Cathedral.**

Natural Family Planning (NFP). Learn NFP at home and at your own pace with the **Home Study Course** from NFP International, www.nfpandmore.org. Includes Ecological Breastfeeding (it really *can* space babies), a double-check system of fertility awareness, and Catholic teaching that’s easy to understand. Work with a live instructor by email. Completion certificate. Only \$70.

Year of Mercy

There is no better way to end the Year of Mercy than to say yes to being a team member on a Kolbe Retreat. (Version of ACTS in Prison)

Two Kolbe Prison Retreats have been schedule for next year of 2017. The first one, God willing, will be held at the Clements Unit on January 26-28, of 2017 and the 2nd one has been schedule for March 23rd to March 25th at the Neal Unit.

The first retreat held at the Clements Unit will be directed by the Hill Country Kolbe Retreat Prison Ministries from the Archdiocese of San Antonio. These men, are all KC and ACTS team members. The Director for our first Kolbe Retreat will be Jeremy Itz assisted by Larry Reeh.

The Kolbe Retreats were adapted from the ACTS Retreats and from what I hear are pretty similar to the Acts Retreats and directed by ACTS directors.

We are inviting and asking for the support of 30 men (Volunteers) from the ACTS Community, KC, and Cursillo Community to make this retreats possible.

If willing to volunteer please get in contact with:

- Deacon Blaine Westlake: Pastoral Center: [806-383-2243](tel:806-383-2243)
- Deacon Jesus (Jessie) Guerrero-Home: [806-364-8432](tel:806-364-8432)-Cell: [806-346-1502](tel:806-346-1502)
- Deacon Andres (Andy) GonzalesCell: [806-463-0262](tel:806-463-0262)
- Tino Frausto IICell: [806-220-6049](tel:806-220-6049)
- Kent HoeltingCell: [806-679-1725](tel:806-679-1725)