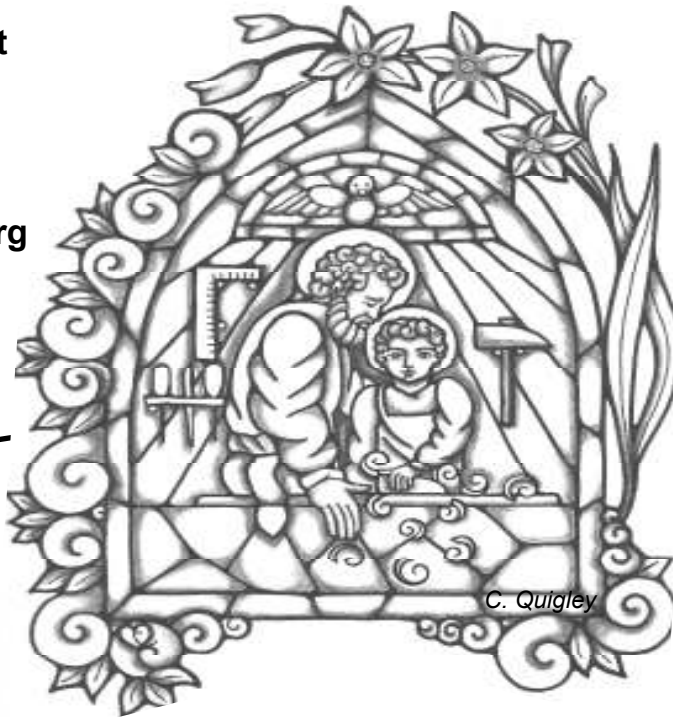


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## Mass Schedule

Saturday 6:00pm  
Sunday 7:00am  
8:30am  
10:00am  
11:30am

5:30pm at Christ the Good  
Shepherd Chapel-Coulter Drive

Monday - Saturday  
8:15am and 6:00pm

# St. Joseph Catholic Church

Pastor: Rev. Msgr. John A. McCaffrey

Associate Pastor: Rev. Darrell Kostih

Deacon Pat Gallagher, Deacon Gary Nelson and Deacon Jeff Olsenholler

**Sunday Nursery:** For infants and toddlers, during the 8:30am, 10:00am and 11:30am Masses. Nursery is located in our Parish Activity Center. Director: Pam Couger

## Sacraments

**Sacrament of Penance** (Confessions)

Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 4:30pm - 5:30pm

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Please contact the priest at least six months before desired date

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Pre-Baptism Class held on the First Monday of each month at 7:00pm in the PAC

## St. Joseph Catholic School System

Students 8 weeks old through Grade 12  
Early Learning Center (8 weeks-3 year olds)  
Emily Kemp 822-6236 or 779-0861  
Elementary School - Middle School - High School  
Jim Rike 822-6643 or 822-6641  
website: www.stjosephschoolbcs.org

## Mission Statement

The family of St. Joseph Catholic Church holds the Celebration of the Liturgy of the Eucharist and all it encompasses as God's Greatest Gift.

Through the teachings of Jesus Christ and the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we live out our faith as exemplified through spiritual growth, evangelization, social outreach and protecting the dignity of all human life.

We recognize the importance of providing for and encouraging Catholic development of all of our faithful, with continuing concern for our children, youth and young adults.

**Religious Education (PK - Grade 6)**

Lisa Storemski 823-5568 - lstoremski@stjosephbcs.org

**Youth Ministry (Grades 6-12)**

Taylor Schroll and Matt Rice

**ABLAZE Catholic Ministries** (ablazeyouth.org)

979-485-9910 taylor@ablazeyouth.org

**Music Ministry**

Eric Posada - eric.o.posada@gmail.com

# May 21, 2017 - 6th Sunday of Easter

## St. Joseph Church Roof Under Construction!

St. Joseph Church is CLOSED:

- Adoration Hours in the PAC
- Monday - Friday Masses at 8:15am and 6:00pm in the PAC
- All Saturday and Sunday Masses at Christ the Good Shepherd Chapel 600 South Coulter - Bryan

## Sunday, May 21

## Monday, May 22

Men's Faith Formation in the PAC at 5:45am  
St. Joseph Ushers Meeting at 7:00pm in the PAC  
Czech Language Class at 7:00pm in the PAC

## Tuesday, May 23

Prayer Service for our Country 12:15pm at Veteran's Park  
Divine Mercy Prayer Group after 6:00pm Mass in the PAC

## Wednesday, May 24

Novena to the Miraculous Medal at 5:45pm followed by  
6:00pm Mass in the PAC

## Thursday, May 25

American Heritage Girls 3:30-5:00pm in the PAC Annex  
SJS Kindergarten Graduation at SJ Elementary School  
Knights of Columbus (4th Degree) Meeting 7:00pm PAC

## Friday, May 26

"Resisting Happiness" Book Study in the PAC 12 noon

## Saturday, May 27

8:15am Mass / Confessions 4:30-5:30pm / 6:00pm Mass  
Christ the Good Shepherd Chapel

## Sunday, May 28

## Parish Support

Collection Sunday May 14:	\$ 23,214.00
Online E-Giving:	\$ 1,405.00
Total	\$ 24,619.00
St. Vincent de Paul Society	\$ 3,488.00

**Thank you for your Generosity!**

*Electronic Giving is available on the church website for your convenience at [www.stjosephbcs.org](http://www.stjosephbcs.org).*

*All major credit cards and/or bank drafts can be accepted.*

## Baptisms

We WELCOME the following who received the Sacrament of Baptism last week:

Israel Mateo Lopez  
Silvestre Rosas  
Kataleia Lynn Sanchez

## Wedding Banns

The following couples are preparing to receive the Sacrament of Matrimony:

May 27<sup>th</sup>

Ray Bryand and Rilie Hilton

June 10<sup>th</sup>

Nicole Zwernemann and Keith Senske

## Rest in Peace

Please remember in prayer the following who has died. Our sympathies are with the family

Harold Waller  
Father of Mark Waller

## Thank You

THANK YOU to Mt. Carmel Rosary Guild Gift Shop for their \$1,000. donation to St. Joseph Church for Altar Supplies.

## Feast of the Ascension

In the Diocese of Austin, the Solemnity of the Ascension of Our Lord is to be celebrated on Sunday, May 28. Thursday, May 25, is not a Holy Day of Obligation.

## Pentecost Vigil Mass with ENCOUNTER

**Saturday, June 3** Join ENCOUNTER Prayer Ministry for a special Pentecost Vigil Mass at 6:00pm at Christ the Good Shepherd Chapel (600 S. Coulter-Bryan) Mass will be followed with Eucharistic Adoration, Praise and Worship. An International Rosary will begin at 5:30pm just before the Mass. All are welcome to this special community event to truly celebrate Pentecost and close out the Easter Season.

## St. Joseph School News



CONGRATULATIONS to St. Joseph Catholic High School Class of 2017. To date, this class of **19 graduates** have been awarded a total of over \$400,000.00 and counting in scholarships. This year's Valedictorian, Benjamin Seago, will be attending West Texas A & M and majoring in Music Education in the Fall. Gianna Fontana, our Salutatorian, will attend Ave Maria University in Ave Maria, Florida and majoring in Psychology. Congratulations to all our graduates!

## Vacation Bible School June 12-14

### Getting S'more of Jesus!

4 year olds through those completing 5th Grade this year are invited to join us for Vacation Bible School this summer June 12, 13 and 14 from 6:00 - 8:30pm at St. Joseph Elementary School. Registration Fee: \$10.00 per child. Complete and return registration form on the church website at [www.stjosephbcs.org](http://www.stjosephbcs.org) for enrollment and volunteers.

## VBS 2017 Volunteers Needed

Would you like to help children explore their Faith and learn about **"GETTING S'MORE OF JESUS"**. You will be able to do this through: Projects with a Purpose, Wilderness Games, Bible Expeditions, Pre-School / Kindergarten Leader, or being a group guide. **No experience needed, just a desire to share our Catholic Faith with our children.**

## St. Vincent de Paul Society

In the Gospel today, Jesus says to us: *"If you love me, you will keep my commandments...Whoever loves me will be loved by my Father and I will love him and reveal myself to him."*

When we give to the poor, God indeed pours his love, peace and joy into our hearts, into our lives and through us into the hearts of those who are poor.

## St. Anthony 53rd Annual Bazaar

**This Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>** You are invited to St. Anthony Parish Bazaar at the St. Anthony Pavilion on Tabor Road in Bryan beginning at 11:00am. Food, Fun and Fellowship. Buffet-style BBQ Dinner. Auction and Games. For more information contact St. Anthony Church at 979-823-8145.

## MASSES MAY 22-28

<b>Monday PAC</b>	<b>8:15am</b>	<b>In Thanksgiving (CHU)</b>
<b>PAC</b>	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>Souls in Purgatory</b>
<b>Tuesday PAC</b>	<b>8:15am</b>	<b>Deacon Gilbert Wilson Special Intention (T. Hall)</b>
<b>Good Shepherd PAC</b>	<b>9:20am 6:00pm</b>	<b>Lee Fazzino Sr. (B) Mitt Bush</b>
<b>Wednesday PAC</b>	<b>8:15am</b>	<b>Kay and Terri Moore Ann Konderla</b>
<b>Good Shepherd PAC</b>	<b>9:20am 6:00pm</b>	<b>Special Int. (Gage &amp; David) Fred Fontana Sr.</b>
<b>Thursday PAC</b>	<b>8:15am</b>	<b>Jerry Luza Betty Matous/Frances Lenz</b>
<b>Good Shepherd PAC</b>	<b>9:20am 6:00pm</b>	<b>NO Mass Delores Krause Mildred Watkins</b>
<b>Friday PAC</b>	<b>8:15am</b>	<b>Emilie Jedlicka</b>
<b>PAC</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>For Our School</b>
<b>PAC</b>	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>Katie and Herman Wehrman</b>
<b>Saturday</b>		
<b>Good Shepherd</b>	<b>8:15am</b>	<b>Souls in Purgatory</b>
<b>Good Shepherd</b>	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>Edwin Klimek Dan Houdek (A) Jose Coronado (B) John B. Yates Jr. (A)</b>
<b>Sunday</b>		
<b>Good Shepherd</b>	<b>7:00am</b>	<b>For Our Parish Lawrence and Martha Matus</b>
<b>Good Shepherd</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>Frank Petroski George Kristynik</b>
<b>Good Shepherd</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>Paul Toan Van Ly (A) Joe and Helen Burda Frank Palasota Helen Dahlmeier (B)</b>
<b>Good Shepherd</b>	<b>11:30am</b>	<b>Raymond Stetz Lucas Collins</b>
<b>Good Shepherd</b>	<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>Anthony Salvaggio Wilma Tan / Domingo Tan</b>

**Sanctuary Light  
In Memory of Mary Hutson**

## Prayers for the Sick

Please remember the following in prayer that the healing presence of Christ will restore them to physical and spiritual health:

**Anthony Jackson, Richard Ruffino, Rick Guise, Albert Caudillo, Alfonso Cabrera, James Flores, Sidney Smith, Edward Beran, Rebecca Gutierrez Juliana Martinez, Officer Ronny Cortez, Judy Flores, Rita Perez, Ann Vivero, Sylvester Vi Nguyen, Elizabeth Bao-Quyen Nguyen, Martha Huebner, Brandy Sanchez, Theresa Minh-Tuyet Le, Rick Dominguez, Maureen Linklater, Alice Linklater, Luke Rizzo, James Yendrey Sr. Claudia LeDoux, Mike Shilling, Isaiah Deleon, Michael Ashley, Cody & Kayla, Preston Smith, Chris Jadowski**

*Names remain on this list for 4 weeks and then transfer to the Book of Prayers on the Altar. If a name needs to remain in the bulletin, please call the church office 822-2721*

## Discipleship Week

### Attention High School Youth!

**June 26-29** D-Week will be held at Eagles Wings Retreat Center in Burnet, TX. D-week is an amazing 4 day retreat for Catholic High School Youth. If you have attended before, you know how powerful the Lord moves at D-week, and you don't want to miss this opportunity. The cost is \$250. for the four days and it is for incoming 9<sup>th</sup> - exiting 12<sup>th</sup> graders. Only 2 spaces left!

## Canonical and Tribunal Services

### Annulment: "Pathway to Healing" Workshop

**Saturday, June 3** The Diocesan Office of Canonical and Tribunal Services will host an "Annulment: Pathway to Healing" workshop on June 3 from 8:30am to 4:00pm at St. Thomas Aquinas Parish in College Station. The purpose of this seminar is to help participants begin a journey in awareness of the healing process of nullity (annulment) through a straight-to-the-heart response to persons considering or already seeking a declaration of nullity. The seminar is a time for reflecting on the demise of one's marriage by taking a journey from pain and loneliness to acceptance and healing. For more information, contact Deborah Patin at (512) 949-2478. To register, visit [austindiocese.org/tribunal2017](http://austindiocese.org/tribunal2017).

## St. Joseph Pastoral Council

Have you noticed several parishioners wearing purple name tags? They are members of your Pastoral Council. The Pastoral Council is a discerned group of members who serve as parish liaisons and provide counsel to the pastor. The Chairperson is **Phil Nunez** and members are **Michelle Braden, Jennifer DiGiacomo, Gabriel Garcia, Joe Konderla, Paul Kunz, Doug Lyles, Christine Orozco, Jonathon Smith, Lynn Smith, Marvin Welch and Jennifer Weltens**. Please feel free to talk to any of these individuals about concerns you may have about our parish life or e-mail [stjosephpastoralcouncil@gmail.com](mailto:stjosephpastoralcouncil@gmail.com).

## Women's Guild New Officers

Congratulations to the newly installed officers of St. Joseph Women's Guild for the 2017-2019 term of office.

<b>Carol Wiggins</b>	<b>President</b>
<b>Molly Herbst</b>	<b>First Vice President</b>
<b>Shelly Palmos</b>	<b>Co-Second Vice President</b>
<b>Nelda Thompson</b>	<b>Co-Second Vice President</b>
<b>Manuela Challis</b>	<b>Secretary</b>
<b>Carol Bienski</b>	<b>Treasurer</b>

## Childcare Help Needed

St. Joseph Catholic Early Learning Center is now hiring. If you are an energetic, patient, positive team player who has experience working with children, we are looking for you! A great opportunity for retired teachers! Caregivers must be 18 or older with a High School diploma. Those hired, must obtain CPR/First Aid and EIM training. References and background checks are mandatory. If interested, please stop by the center and pick up an application. Questions? Contact Emily Kemp, On-Site Director at 979-779-0861.

## Parish Sunday Nursery

The Sunday Nursery is still being held at the Parish Activity Center even though Masses are being held at Christ the Good Shepherd Chapel on Coulter Dr. for the 8:30am, 10:00am and 11:30am.

## Adult Faith Formation Classes

Adult Faith Formation Classes are being held at St. Anthony Church in Bryan this Summer and Fall. The Summer session will be on the Old Testament and will meet Wednesdays in June from 6:00 - 10:00pm (16 hour course). The Fall course will be on the New Testament/Christology and will meet on Tuesdays, Sept. 12 - Nov. 7 from 7:00-9:00pm (16 hours) For registration forms go to <http://www.austindiocese.org/aff2017>. These classes are for catechists, those in other ministries and anyone interested in learning more about their Catholic Faith. Contact Deacon Michael Beauvais with any questions, [mbeauvais@saintanthonys.org](mailto:mbeauvais@saintanthonys.org) or 979-823-8145.

## Come to Mariapolis

### A Summer Retreat for Individuals and Families

Are you looking for a unique experience this summer where you can be rested and grow spiritually in community with others? Come to the Mariapolis, July 2-5 at Schreiner University sponsored by Focolare Southwest! Children and teens follow parallel programs; nursery facilities available; meals and game nights are enjoyed together. Early registration rates until May 31 at: [www.event.focolare.us/events](http://www.event.focolare.us/events). For more information contact Connie Carpenter at 979-777-4922 or email [focolarebcs@gmail.com](mailto:focolarebcs@gmail.com).