

St. Joseph Catholic Church

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Fifth Sunday of Lent – March 21, 2021

Gift to God and Parish - March 7 & 14, 2021

Regular Offertory Collection.....**\$3,184.00**

Building & Maintenance Collection.....**\$332.00**

Thank you for continuing to support your parish. As Catholics, we believe that all we have is a gift from God. Our response in faith is to offer these gifts back to God in gratitude. With gifts of prayer, we pray for our nation, Church and our parishes. With gifts of treasure, we support our parishes even

STATION OF THE CROSS: 12:00 Noon every Fridays during Lent.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE – 2021

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

April 1: **HOLY THURSDAY:** Mass of the Lord's Supper **7:00 PM**

April 2: **GOOD FRIDAY:**

- Stations of the Cross **12:00 PM**
- Passion of The Lord **3:00 PM**
- La **Pasión del Señor** **5:00 PM**

April 3: **EASTER VIGIL – 8:30 PM** (NO Saturday 7:00 PM Mass)

April 4: **EASTER SUNDAY** MASSES AT **9:00 AM** and **11:00 AM** (SPANISH)

ST. STEPHEN THE MARTYR

April 1 Holy Thursday **4:30 PM**

April 2 Good Friday **4:30 PM**

April 4 Easter Sunday **10:00 AM**

MASS INTENTIONS *From March 27, 2021 – April 1, 2021*

3-27 Sat. 7:00 pm: + **Deceased Collins and Viniarski Family Members**
by Donna Viniarski Family

3-28 Sun. 9:00 am: + **William Miethe** *by Tammy Miethe*

3-28 Sun. 11:00 am: + **Isabel Fuentes & Juan Enriquez** *by Dora Tamayo*

Adoration Hour –

Jesus calls us to say yes to Him! Volunteers needed to dedicate an hour to the Lord. Call Liz at the office at 936-344-6104 or **Charlotte Schrader** at **936-597-5556**.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Chris Brown
Barbara Follis
Michael Haas
Anna Hyman
Rodney Karonika
Violeta Mendoza

Stevie Russell
David and Rose Paluka
Evangelina Samano
Martin Sandoval
Mary Cruz Sandoval

Ramon Sandoval
Les Schatz
Debbie Schrader
Heather Schrader Jeffries
Louise Slott

If you would like someone included on this list, Please call Liz at 936-344-6104.

The family of **CHARLES MANN** wishes to sincerely thank everyone who prayed, sent cards, called, brought food and sent good wishes on facebook. It is truly wonderful to have a church family during difficult times. I would read the cards and comments to him every day and it meant so much to him to know that so many were praying and cared about him. Everything everyone has done since his passing has helped get us through the sadness. As always Fr. Kim's words were warm and personal; they comforted us all. Thanks to Jane and Lisa for the beautiful hymns and to the Helping Hands for the wonderful meal. Last, but not least, thank you to Frances for coordinating it all; I don't know what we would do without you. *God bless you all, Darlene Mann.*

Society of St. Vincent De Paul. A special thank you to all of those individuals that have already donated to Society of St. Vincent de Paul this last week. A total of \$1,095.00 has been collected to date. In the Gospel today, Jesus says "Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves me." When we help the poor, we are truly followers of Jesus, servant of the poor. As you place your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul envelope, know that you are a sign of God's love to those who are suffering, and you give them Easter hope and joy. Envelopes are available on the offering table during Lent for your gifts

Parish Office Damage – During the freeze this past February, the parish office sustained frozen pipes, which caused flooding, ruining sheetrock and flooring. In the next weeks, we will be undergoing demolition of the damaged areas and restoration. Until then the office will be in disarray and may be closed at times. If you call the office and no one answers, please leave a message and someone will get back with you as soon as possible.

MASK PROTOCOL RESPONSE

Over the last few days, Archdiocesan officials have engaged in a series of consultations regarding the order, which included input from clergy and medical professionals. Recognizing the needs of this local Church, in particular the need to protect the most vulnerable among us, we have determined that **all of our current COVID-19 protocols will remain in place until further notice, including the requirement for face coverings at Mass and other liturgical celebrations.**

*Durante los últimos días, los líderes de la arquidiócesis han participado en una serie de consultas con respecto a la orden, que incluyó el consejo del clero y médicos. Reconociendo las necesidades de esta iglesia local, en particular la necesidad de proteger a los más vulnerables entre nosotros, hemos determinado que **todos nuestros protocolos de COVID-19 permanecerán en efecto hasta nuevo aviso, incluido el requisito de usar máscaras en la misa y otras celebraciones litúrgicas.***