

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 6, 2015

Calendar of the Week



TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 6, 2015

Saturday, September 5

4:30 pm - Vigil Mass - Monica & David Berwick ~ Happy Anniversary!!
6:00 pm - Vigil Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul

Sunday, September 6
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:45 am - Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul
10:30 am - Mass - Elo, James, Whitney & Julie Kotrla ☒

Monday, September 7

Tuesday, September 8
The Nativity of the
Blessed Virgin Mary

9:15 am - Pastoral Institute Bible Study Class in parish hall
6:00 pm - Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul
7:00 pm - Pastoral Institute Bible Study Class in parish hall

Wednesday, September 9
St. Peter Claver

5:30 pm - CCE classes - Sts. Peter & Paul - Dining Hall
5:30 pm - EDGE - Sts. Peter & Paul - Diamond Center
6:00 pm - High School Youth Group - St. Anthony
6:30 pm - Mass - Sts. Peter and Paul

Thursday, September 10

8:00 am - Holy Mass - Sts. Peter and Paul
5:30 pm - MASS - David Culton ☒
6:00 pm - Adoration followed by Adult Faith Class



Friday, September 11

10:00 am - Mass @ TLC - Monica Chuck ~ Birthday Blessings!!

Saturday, September 12

4:30 pm - Vigil Mass - Carolyn Jones ☒
Lector - Janet Hollmann
Ushers - Travis Nelson & Brent Nelson
Altar Servers - Kaitlon Brod & Allie Fitzgerald
Communion Minister - Brian Fitzgerald
6:00 pm - Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul

Sunday, September 13
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:45 am - Holy Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul
10:00 am - Rosary for Vocations, Life, & Rain Rosary Leader - Judy Kestler
10:30 am - Mass - Antonio Rosales ☒
Lector - Mary Beth Tromblee
Ushers - Harvey Venghaus & Scott Orange
Altar Servers - Mason Glueck & Jake Martell
Communion Minister - Mary Beth Tromblee
Homebound - Deacon Doug & Mary Beth Tromblee

St. Roch Catholic Church



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READINGS FOR THE WEEK



Weekly Readings

Mon: Col 1:24-2:3; Ps 62:6-9; Lk 6:6-11
Tues: Mi 5:1-4; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-23
Wed: Col 3:1-11; Ps 145:2-13; Lk 6:20-26
Thurs: Col 3:12-17; Ps 150:1-6; Lk 6:27-38
Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-14; Ps 16:1-11; Lk 6:39-42
Sat: 1 Tm 1:15-17; Ps 113:1-7; Lk 6:43-49
Sunday: Is 50:5-9; Ps 116:1-9; Jas 2:14-18; Mk 8:27-35

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, 12:00 pm - 5:00pm
Tuesday, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
Wednesday, 8:00 am - 2:30 pm
Closed Thursday
Friday, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

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HALL RENTAL:

Contact Parish Office

PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS:

Bobbie Brod 732-3151 or
Deacon Doug & Mary Beth Tromblee
732-2090

CONFESSIONS:

Thursday evening 5:00 - 5:15 pm and 4:00 - 4:15pm on Saturday

BAPTISM:

Baptismal instructions are required; please contact Sts. Peter & Paul- 732-3430.

MARRIAGE:

Parties should notify the pastor before setting a wedding date to allow time for the required Engagement Encounter weekend. No weddings during Lent or Advent.

REGISTRATION:

We welcome with joy all new members of the community and invite you to register at the parish office, either by phone or by mailing one of the forms provided at the church entrance.

Picnic News.....

Kid's Raffle:

To make a monetary or an item donation towards the kid's raffle, please contact the church office.

Fish pond: This year we are asking for bulk donations such as small toys, books, pencils, crayons, candy or bubbles. Please leave donations in the box in the narthex of the church or a monetary donation marked "fish pond" in the collection.

Gift cards: You may donate gift cards now! We need more gift cards valued at \$10 and up to any business (local preferred) Drop in the collection and mark it "gift card walk"

Auction Items: It's time to start thinking about **live and silent auction** items for the picnic! Each family is asked to bring 2 live auction items and 1 silent auction item. Homemade items and baked goods are a great hit!

Bingo Items: Each family is asked to bring one \$5 prize. Bingo items may be dropped off at the parish office during office hours!

Raffle Tickets: are available to pick up in the narthex ~ please sign for the tickets you take!

St. Roch, pray for us!

ACTS News.....

~ The next Holy Rosary Women's ACTS Retreat is October 15-18
Applications are available online at www.holyrosaryacts.com or copies are available in the narthex

A vigil candle burns on Our Blessed Mother's Altar in memory of Eo, James, Whitney & Julia Kotrla Given by Lenora Kotrla.

Blood Drive

There will be a blood drive in the parish this Wednesday, September 9th from 4:00 - 8:00pm. A sign up sheet is in the narthex of the church. You may also contact Linda Venghaus to book a time slot (979) 877-8984 or (979) 865-9896

KSBJ presents Faith & Family Night

Christian singer, Matt Maher, will be in concert in Brenham at the Washington County Fairgrounds on Wednesday, September 16th beginning at 7:00pm
Tickets - \$12 **before** 7:00 and \$20 **after** 7:00

ST. ROCH T-SHIRTS

The office is now taking pre-orders for St. Roch t-shirts that we had available last year. Please contact the parish office to place your order today!

Upcoming Youth Activities:

Wednesday, September 9th
~ 6:00 pm High School youth night @ St. Anthony
~ 5:30 pm ~ EDGE & CCE classes in Frelsburg

CDA Baby Shower ~ Follow Up

Several ladies of our CDA group made the trip to Annunciation Maternity Home in Georgetown on Monday and delivered your generous donations. We took a tour of one of the housing units, classrooms, counseling room, chapel and baby day care. We all agreed it was an amazing place that promoted a nurturing environment free of violence, abuse and neglect. All clients are afforded medical care and can receive a high school education and receive baby day care. The school prepares clients for life, promotes spirituality, parenting, budgeting a household and home care just to name a few. This is not a free ride for the clients, they must obey house rules and sign a contract to agree to abide or they can not remain. Thru personal goals, educational goals, house keeping, washing laundry, baby care and cooking they earn points that enable them to buy items like those we donated. Baby day care is provided for those mothers who can work and/or finish high school simultaneously. These ladies are very busy getting the life in order. Once again thank you for your overwhelming generosity. So many donations were made anonymously and to those I especially say thank you.
Linda Venghaus

Regular Collection

\$3,444.00

In Memory

St. Roch Altar Society greatly acknowledges a donation to its **Memorial Fund** given in memory of **Wanda Stevenson**
Given by Daryl & Joan Hill

New Cemetery Plot Rates beginning January 2016

Beginning January 1, 2016 the new rate for St. Roch Cemetery plots will be \$750.00 per plot for anyone (parishioner or non-parishioner) wishing to be interred in our parish cemetery. This is the first increase since 1994. The old rates of \$350.00/plot for non-parishioners and \$450.00/plot will be in effect between now and 12/31/15. All plots must be paid in full at the time of request. (no payment plans or reservations for later payment).

WHY? Our cemetery is a ministry and not a business. The care of the cemetery is the moral responsibility of the parish. The plot rates are used to pay for the maintenance of the cemetery. Our cemetery fund is sorely inadequate to ensure the future care of the cemetery. The parish finance council has recommended a rate of one thousand dollars per plot (a plot is one grave). Our pastor has decided to ease in to that goal with the new rate of \$750.00. There may be another increase in 2017. If you wish to take advantage of the present rates please contact Bobbie Brod at 979-732-3151 to make the arrangements.

Remember, you must pay the full amount at the time you sign the agreement for right of sepulcher. Right of sepulcher means that there is a moral obligation between you and St. Roch Parish regarding your burial in the parish cemetery. You do not own the plot and cannot sell or transfer it to anyone else and the parish is not legally obligated to maintain the plot. However it is the moral obligation of our parish family to do its best to keep all parish grounds well groomed, including the cemetery.

The rates per grave are placed in a special account which is used for expenses related to the upkeep of the cemetery. If you have any questions please contact Bobbie Brod or Fr. Wayne Flagg.