

## September 20, 2020—Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### St. Joseph Mass Intentions

**Sept. 19, Saturday (St. Januarius, Bishop & Martyr)**

5:00 pm +Pete Vega/Dennis P. Mikulin

**Sept. 20, Sunday**

- 8:00 am Mildred Hall /Luke Bronin

**Sept. 22, Tuesday**

- 6:00 pm Cindy Long

**Sept. 24, Thursday**

- 8:00 am For Parishioners who are Sick or in Need

**Sept. 25, Friday**

- 8:00 am Maria Joseph

**Sept. 26, Saturday (St. Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs)**

5:00 pm +Julia Williams/Gary Williams  
James Barrows/Lou Ann Jones

**Sept. 27, Sunday**

- 8:00am +Elaine Muzny/Michael Burks

<b>Sept. 21</b> Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13 Matthew 9:9-13
<b>Sept. 22</b> Proverbs 21:1-6, 10-13 Luke 8:19-21
<b>Sept. 23</b> Proverbs 30:5-9 Luke 9:1-6
<b>Sept. 24</b> Ecclesiastes 1:2-11 Luke 9:7-9
<b>Sept. 25</b> Ecclesiastes 3:1-11 Luke 9:18-22
<b>Sept. 26</b> Ecclesiastes 11:9 12:8 Luke 9:43b-45
<b>Sept. 27</b> Ezekiel 18:25-28 Philippians 2:1-11 Matthew 21:28-32

### Holy Family Mass Intentions

**Sept. 20, Sunday**

- 10:00am +John & Margaret Tydlacka

**Sept. 23, Wednesday (Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest)**

- 5:30 pm Paul O'Hanlon

**Sept. 27, Sunday**

- 10:00 am +Maegan Sanders

**Confessions: Wednesdays 5:00-5:30pm**

**For Sunday September 13: Attendance: 86 Collection: Regular: \$2287.00**

**Sanctuary Light: In Loving Memory of Amado & Deolinda Baca**

### **Confessions: Saturday 4:00-4:30pm**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Money Counters</u>
<b>Saturday Sept. 19</b>	Natalie Zgabay	<b>Until further</b>	<b>Notice</b>	<b>We Will</b>	<b>Not Assign</b>
<b>Sunday Sept. 20</b>	Kyle Pecht	<b>Volunteers</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>These</b>	<b>Ministries</b>

<b>Saturday Sept. 26</b>	Zach Zgabay	<b>Until further</b>	<b>Notice</b>	<b>We Will</b>	<b>Not Assign</b>
<b>Sunday Sept. 27</b>	Ida Schuman	<b>Volunteers</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>These</b>	<b>Ministries</b>

**For Sunday September 12&13: Attendances: 86 Collections: Regular: \$ 3300.00**

**Sanctuary Light: In Loving Memory of Pete Vega**

### Reflection

Our first reading, from Isaiah, reminds us that God often thinks bigger than we do. “For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the LORD. As high as the heavens are above the earth, so high are my ways above your ways and my thoughts above your thoughts.” As His followers we must strive as best we can to think as God does, using our time (and our talents and treasure, too) with eternity in mind.

### Stewardship

Living the stewardship way of life — making Christ our life — brings us meaning, depth and purpose. Let’s embrace this Godly thinking and thank Him for calling us to this way of life.

**Bulletin Information: Submit by Tuesday to 979-884-3100 or stjoe@verizon.net**

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[holyfamilylex@verizon.net](mailto:holyfamilylex@verizon.net)

## Calendar of Events St. Joseph's - Dime Box

**Special Prayers for the Sick:** For the sick members of St. Joseph/Dime Box community: RJ Muzny Jalane Wiederhold Bernadette Beran Doug Rackel Patsy Krenek Elena Massey Gladys Kallus Josephine Schultz Helen Fritsche Becky Dallke Mike Thompson Werner & Gloria Jatzlau Dwayne Muzny Larmey Morris Margie Kostelka Oscar Slovacek Sue Strange Ray & Adele Zboril Dena Doonan Matcek Larry Lehmann Joe Pertl Patricia Tarnowski Harrison Pharis Nelson Bounds Ernest Ofcarzak Jr. Vlasta Ofcarzak Carla West Louis Muzny Bennie & Doris Supak Glenn Spitzenberger Lynette Schatte John David Mikulin Sue Bradford Jak Chapman Lynette Supak  
**(May they be freed from danger, relieved of suffering, and held fast in the tender arms of Jesus, the Divine Healer!)**

**CCD Students:** We are looking forward to all our CCD students returning to our Fall semester. Covid protocols are in place. If you have not registered your child please stop by the Parish Hall to pick up a registration form. Classes begin today, after Sunday Mass at 9:00am. If there are any questions, please contact Ida Schuman 979-542-6161.

**Bible Study:** We have begun our Bible Study designed especially for women. We meet every Wednesday at 6:00pm in our parish hall. All women are welcome!! Bring a friend! It is a 6-week class entitled "Living in the Father's Love." We look forward to seeing you there.

**Natural Family Planning:** Ace and Leigh Blankenburg from Holy Family in Lexington are a natural family planning promoting couple for the diocese of Austin. Couple to Couple League, a Catholic natural family planning organization, interviewed Ace and Leigh last November on how they have come to know God's grace in their marriage. Their article was published this January in Couple to Couple League's magazine, *Family Foundations*. Copies of the magazine are available for pick up on the table in the cry room if you would like to read more about their witness to God's grace in their marriage. For more information on natural family planning, contact Ace and Leigh at (979) 324-9426.

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**Holy Family Fundraiser:** Our sister parish will be having their annual fried chicken dinner on Sunday, October 4<sup>th</sup>. **Drive thru only** serving, begins at 11:00am at the Parish Activity Center. The To-Go plates are \$10.00 each. They will also be selling "Chicken Plop" tickets (scaled version of the Holy Cow Plop) at \$50.00 each. Grand prize is a \$3000.00 gift card. Please help support their annual fundraiser.

### Upcoming Special Collections:

October 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>: Peter's Pence & Building & Maintenance Fund.

October 18<sup>th</sup>: World Mission Sunday-Propagation of Faith.

November 1<sup>st</sup>: Catholic Service Appeal.

November 22<sup>nd</sup>: Catholic Campaign for Human Development.

## Calendar of Events Holy Family – Lexington

**Special Prayers for the Sick:** For the sick members of the Holy Family Community: Caleb Schmidt Karla Blaine Paul Goocher Phillip Sims Brian Koehler  
Keith Sims Eleanor Gonzales Laura Casco Ollie Brice Tommy Adams  
Sean Sullivan Linda Goocher Santos Gonzales KC Hudson Harper Pittman  
Eric Anthony Martinez Mary Best Juanita Greene Donna Brewer Virginia Schmidt  
Trinity Blankenburg Blake Gibson Kim Sweat Avery Wright  
(May they be freed from danger, relieved of suffering, and held fast in the tender arms of Jesus, the Divine Healer)

**2020 Fall Festival Plans:** Due to all the restrictions and distancing with COVID-19, we will not be able to host our annual Fall Festival this year. This is our primary fundraiser for the year. But we will still have our Fried Chicken dinner, it will be drive thru only. Our dinner will be held on Sunday, October 4<sup>th</sup>, serving will begin at 11:00 at the Parish Activity Center. Since it will be drive thru only, that opens the PAC to help with spreading out the lines for making the To-Go plates. **Potato peeling** will be done on Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, starting at 8:00am at the PAC. We need each family to provide **two cakes** for the meal. They can be dropped off at the PAC on Saturday morning when we are peeling potatoes or by 8:00am Sunday morning so they can get cut and packaged for the meals. We need everyone's help to make this successful. If you are needing something to do, please contact Nathan Vecera (512-636-3726).

**Chicken Plop:** We are having a scaled back version of our Holy Cow Plop, called "Chicken Plop". The total number of tickets will be reduced to 250 and the ticket price raised to \$50 each with a Grand Prize of a \$3000 gift card. We ask that each parishioner sell 5 (or more) tickets. Please let me know ASAP how many tickets you want...it's only 3 weeks away so we need to do some quick turning around of tickets. The plan is to keep it within our parish family so that we don't have to go out into the community to sell the tickets. **Please contact Karen Wren at 979-540-8848 or wrenk@lexingtonisd.net**

**Bible Study:** Our meeting will be on Thursdays at 5 pm, starting August 27<sup>th</sup> at the Parish Hall. Most of the lectures are between 1 ½ hr. long. Both men and women are welcome - hope to see you there. Katharina Twining 979-203-6695

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**CCD Information:** We had our first CCD class for this year last Sunday. Students had a good time and enjoyed the classes and the activities. Our next CCD class will be on Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am -12:30 pm. Depending on the general conditions of the Covid19 pandemic we will think about starting regular classes on all Sundays. Thank you to all the teachers and parents for your interest and support for the CCD programs. **We need additional teachers and helpers with the classes.** We appeal to all the parents of the CCD students in a special way to think prayerfully what you can do in this matter. If you still have not registered your kindergarten or new student, there is still time! Please email Kristen Bryan and I will email you the form. [Kris10bryan@gmail.com](mailto:Kris10bryan@gmail.com)

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### HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP:

We have recently started a video series "Into the Breach" presented by the Knights of Columbus which seeks to answer the question of what it means to be a man and how to live as a man in today's world. Watch the official trailer here: <https://www.kofc.org/en/campaigns/into-the-breach.html> We gather at **6:30 pm every Wednesday after Mass** at the church hall, safely distanced of course during this time of socially restricted space! There is no pressure, no attendance record, no talking requirements..... just ordinary men coming together in a casual relaxed environment to get closer to Christ through Discipleship and Prayer. Please contact *Ace* ([aceblankenburg@gmail.com](mailto:aceblankenburg@gmail.com); 979-777-3556 with any questions or comments. Also check out our website link. <http://www.holyfamilylex.org/about/mens-fellowship/> for info on updates and gathering schedule.

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**Pastoral Care:** Please call for any sacraments needed such as Anointing of the sick, Baptism or Penance. **979-884-3100.**

**Church Cleaning:** Attached is the Church cleaning schedule for the remainder of the year. Please let me know if you would like to sign up or pay for a cleaning or two. The cost to have it cleaned is \$50.

<u>Clean Any Day of Week</u>	<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Name</u>
Aug. 31-Sept. 27th	Sept. 27	Baggstoms
Sept. 28-Oct. 31st	Oct. 4,11,18,25	Speier
Oct. 26-31 <sup>st</sup>	Nov. 1	_____
Nov. 2-7 <sup>th</sup>	Nov. 8	_____
Nov. 9-14 <sup>th</sup>	Nov. 15	_____
Nov. 16-21 <sup>st</sup>	Nov. 22	_____
Nov. 23-28 <sup>th</sup>	Nov. 29	_____
Nov. 30-Dec. 5 <sup>th</sup>	Dec. 6	_____
Dec. 7-12 <sup>th</sup>	Dec. 13	_____
Dec. 14-19 <sup>th</sup>	Dec. 20	_____
Dec. 21-26 <sup>th</sup>	Dec 27	_____

**Website:** I would like to remind everyone to please check out our website [www.holyfamilylex.org](http://www.holyfamilylex.org) for the latest parish updates and bulletins. If you have any important updates that need to be posted on our website please contact Ace Blankenburg at [aceblankenburg@gmail.com](mailto:aceblankenburg@gmail.com)