

November 8 , 2020–Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Joseph Mass Intentions

Nov. 7, Saturday

- 5:00 pm + Douglas Rackel /Dennis P. Mikulin
- +Joseph Beran

Nov. 8, Sunday

- 8:00 am + Henry, Annie & Tommy Krenek/
- + Elaine Muzny

Nov. 10, Tuesday (Saint Leo the Great, Pope)

- 6:00 pm + Tommy Krenek/John Martinez Family

Nov. 12, Thursday (St. Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr)

- 8:00 am Pope Francis/Maria Joseph

Nov. 13, Friday (St. Frances Xavier Cavrini, Virgin)

- 8:00 am +George & Mary Koudelka/Holy Souls

Nov. 14, Saturday

5:00 pm + Pete Vega/John J. & Laura Mikulin/Lillian Faust

Nov. 15, Sunday

- 8:00am +George & Mary Koudelka/Elaine Muzny

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>
Saturday Nov. 7	Monica Spacek	Until further	Notice	We Will	Not Assign
Sunday Nov. 8	Kristin Fritsche	Volunteers	For	These	Ministries
Saturday Nov. 14	Natalie Zgabay	Until further	Notice	We Will	Not Assign
Sunday Nov. 15	Mike Muzny	Volunteers	For	These	Ministries

**For Sunday Oct. 31/Nov. 1: Attendances: 76 Collections: Regular: \$1389.00
Building & Maintenance Fund -\$676.00**

Sanctuary Light: In Loving Memory of Dennis P. Mikulin

Holy Family Mass Intentions

Nov. 8, Sunday

- 10:00am Lawrence Colonna

Nov. 11, Wednesday (Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop)_

- 5:30 pm Paul O'Hanlon

Nov. 15, Sunday

- 10:00 am Montoya Family

Confessions: Wednesdays 5:00-5:30pm

**For Sunday Nov. 1: Attendance: 51 Collection: Regular: \$ 2151.00
Special Collection-\$245.00 Building Fund-\$125.00**

Sanctuary Light: In Loving Memory of Amado & Deolinda Baca

Reflection

Jesus teaches the importance of wisdom in our Gospel passage from Matthew. He tells the parable of ten virgins awaiting the arrival of the bridegroom who will welcome them in to the wedding feast. Five of the virgins were foolish and five were wise. The foolish virgins failed to bring oil along with their lamps when they went to meet the bridegroom. The wise ones, however, had prepared and brought sufficient oil to keep their lamps lit when the bridegroom came. The foolish virgins, caught off guard, ran off to buy more oil, but they were too late. The door to the wedding feast was locked to them. Jesus cautions, “Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour.”

Stewardship

The stewardship way of life — with its daily and weekly commitments to giving God the best of our Time, Talents and Treasure — is the “oil” that we keep with us at all times. When we have this plan in place and we rely deeply on the Holy Spirit to guide us through the twists and turns of each day, we are free, we are ready to answer the Bridegroom when He calls us. We live in wisdom.

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

www.stjosephdimeboxtx.com

www.holyfamilylex.org

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 Patsy Krenek Rev. Msgr. Isidore Rozycki Elena Massey Gladys Kallus Josephine Schultz Helen Fritsche Jak Chapman Lynette Supak Evelyn Weinheimer Sue Bradford 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 **(May they be freed from danger, relieved of suffering, and held fast in the tender arms of Jesus, the Divine Healer!)**

CATHOLIC SERVICE APPEAL: Today is the Catholic Services Appeal Sunday (CSA), when we join together as a community of faith — our hearts filled with gratitude — to support the mission and ministries of our diocese. Our annual appeal allows us to care for active and retired priests, help those in need, promote a culture of life, encourage vocations and educate our youth. As we respond to the pandemic and its continuing effect on society and our beloved church, the ministries, and programs our CSA funds are more essential than ever before. Our goal is 100% participation because every gift, large or small, is vital to the success of the Catholic Services Appeal. Please complete and return your pledge card or make a secure gift online at austindiocese.org/csa.

Movie: St Joseph's Altar Society will be hosting a viewing of a special movie about the life of Mother Teresa of Calcutta. The title of the film is "The Letters". The viewing will be held on **Sunday, November 8th** at the church hall starting at **3:00 p.m.** Movie snacks will be provided. Everyone is welcome to attend.

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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.

Upcoming Special Collections & Events

November 7th & 8th: Catholic Service Appeal.

November 22nd: Catholic Campaign for Human Development.

November 26th: Thanksgiving Day – Mass at 8:00 am (Dime Box)

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
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Bible Study: Our next Bible study class on the Book of Revelation will be on Thursday November 5th and November 12th beginning at 5:00pm.

CCD Calendar: Please mark your calendars for the following dates of CCD classes. We will not have CCD the weekend of the livestock show, however at this time I do not have those dates. We are excited to get back to a normal schedule. Classes start today Nov. 8th from 9:00am-10:00am. Please arrive 5 minutes early so we can begin on time. Classes will remain in the same location (PAC & Parish hall) to be able to maintain a safe social distance.

Date: Nov 8 & 15 Dec 6 & 13 Jan 10, 17 & 24 Feb 7, 14, 21, & 28(?)
March 7(?), & 28 April 11, 18, & 25 May 2, 9, & 16(last day)

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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; 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.

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>
Nov. 9-14 th	Nov. 15	_____
Nov. 16-21 st	Nov. 22	_____
Nov. 23-28 th	Nov. 29	_____
Nov. 30-Dec. 5 th	Dec. 6	_____
Dec. 7-12 th	Dec. 13	_____
Dec. 14-19 th	Dec. 20	_____
Dec. 21-26 th	Dec 27	_____

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

Website: I would like to remind everyone to please check out our website 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

