



**FEBRUARY 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2017**  
**EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**MARCH 1<sup>st</sup> ASH WEDNESDAY**

**6:30 AM MASS**

Deacon:  
 Lector: M. Hoelscher  
 Lay Ministers: P. & MA Everett  
 Greeters: Volunteers  
 Altar Servers: Volunteers

**12:10 PM MASS**

Deacon:  
 Lector: R. Schigut  
 Lay Ministers: C. Hussey, J. Oakes  
 Greeters: Volunteers  
 Altar Servers: L. Grygar

**6:30 PM MASS**

Deacon: B. Rodriguez  
 Lector: B. Theisen  
 Lay Ministers: K. Theisen, F. Trevino  
 Greeters: Volunteers  
 Altar Servers: Volunteers

**Extraordinary Ministers to Homebound**

**March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017**

P. & MA Everett, P. Proctor, C. Hussey,  
 T. Mireles

**MARCH 4<sup>th</sup> and MARCH 5<sup>th</sup>**

**5:30 PM MASS**

Deacon:  
 Lector: L. Chaffin  
 Lay Ministers: C. Hussey, K. Theisen, P. Everett  
 Greeters: C. Ramm, B. Goonan, J. Sladeczek  
 Altar Servers: A. Cantu, A & L Atkins, T. Lockhart

**7:30 AM MASS**

Deacon:  
 Lector: A. Castillo  
 Lay Ministers: T. Hamff, P. & K. Cameron  
 Greeters: S. Motl, R. Castillo  
 Altar Servers: S, B & R Mosmeyer, A. Federle

**9:15 AM MASS**

Deacon:  
 Lector: B. Dolgener  
 Lay Ministers: R. & L. Luna, D. Gibson  
 Greeters: N. Centeno, K. Bartz  
 Altar Servers: A. Tavernier, D. & M. Mikeska,  
 R. McNeill

**11:00 AM MASS**

Deacon:  
 Lector: St. Mary School Students  
 Lay Ministers: J. Solis, JA Mason, L. Edwards  
 Greeters: A. Pechal, R. Krumnow,  
 B. Stewart  
 Altar Servers: M Knight, T Kotalik, T & N Bennett

**Extraordinary Ministers to Homebound**

**March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

P. & K. Cameron, T. Hamff, J. Dudley,  
 K. & J. Bartz, C. Hussey, L. & R. Luna, C. Oakes

**February 27<sup>th</sup> – March 5<sup>th</sup>**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>12:10PM</b> †Louis & Kathleen Ewert
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>6:30AM</b> †James Smetana
	<b>8:15AM</b> †Morris Marburger
	<b>12:10PM</b> †Helen Mason
	<b>6:30PM</b> †Sara Bayer & Paul Webb
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>7:00AM</b> †Donald Viator Sr.
<b>Friday</b>	<b>8:15AM</b> †Loleta Guenat
	<b>10:00AM</b> †James Smetana
	<b>12:10PM</b> †J.D. Cook
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>7:30AM</b> †Margaret Villamaria
	<b>5:30PM</b> For the People

**Sunday**      **7:30AM** †John Mikeska  
**9:15AM** †Albert & Elizabeth  
                     Flentge  
**11:00AM** †Ronald Grygar



Dear Brothers and Sisters,  
 When we worry about the unimportant, mundane details of life, we will be reminded of what is truly important. Worrying about the future will not change what will happen, nor will worrying about the past change its outcome. Instead of worrying, we must learn to place our trust in God and know that, if we have faith, he will provide everything we need. In this week's Gospel Jesus instructs his disciples not to store up earthly treasure but rather to hold onto what is valuable and enduring. Seeking the treasured way of holiness guides our hearts and our actions. May we continue to pray for one another keeping Christ centered in our life.  
 God bless,  
 Fr. Steve

**YOUR GIFT TO GOD**

<b>February 19, 2017</b>		
Sunday Collection	\$	7,803.52
Generations to Come	\$	50.00
Catholic Higher Education	\$	65.00
School Fund	\$	30.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>7948.52</b>

**Note: totals include online giving**

**Ashes to Easter Lenten Mission Campaign** begins on Ash Wednesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>. Families are encouraged to take a box home in support of missionary works of the Diocese. Almsgiving is a sign of penance during Lent and particularly appropriate. Please support this long-standing campaign.

**STEWARDSHIP MOMENT**

Stewards of the mysteries of God – that's what St. Paul says we are in today's second reading. And the first requirement, he says, is that we be trustworthy. Entrusted with the gift of faith, do I share it as gratefully and generously as I do my time, my talent, my treasure?

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**



**ADORATION**

is one on one time with Jesus!  
 Every Wednesday  
 7:30am - 6:30pm  
 and  
 Every First Friday  
 7:00pm to 8:00pm.  
 In our Church

Mark your calendar and receive His Grace.



**FISH FRY IS BACK!**

**BEST MEAL, BEST DEAL!**

Every Friday

February 17<sup>th</sup> through April 7<sup>th</sup>

5:00pm to 7:00pm

Knights of Columbus are cooking and serving  
 at the Knights of Columbus Hall  
 Adult plate \$9. Kid's plate \$6.

**FESTIVAL**

**SAVE THE DATE – PARISH FESTIVAL**

April 30, 2017      10:30AM – 4:00 PM

Raffle, Auction (Live & Silent),  
 Games for Kids and Adults  
 Live Music w/ Billy Holt, and more!  
 Family Fun for Everyone!  
 Chicken and Sausage Plates, Burgers,  
 Tacos, and Roasted Corn!

## St. Mary's Week Ahead

Date	Event	Location	Time
Monday Feb. 27 <sup>th</sup>	Quilting Angels	Ave Maria Building	9:00am
	Scouts	Parish Hall	5:00pm
Tuesday Feb 28 <sup>th</sup>	Knitting & Crocheting	Ave Maria Building	12:30pm
	Adult Bible Study	Regina Caeli Room	1:30pm & 6:00pm
	Men of Joseph	O'Reilly Room 112	7:00pm
Wednesday March 1 <sup>st</sup> ASH WED.	Religious Education	No Class Attend Mass	6:30pm
Thursday March 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Middle School Choir Practice	School Auditorium	12:15pm
	Elementary School Choir Practice	Church	3:30pm
	Choir Practice (9:15am Mass)	Church	6:15pm
	Choir Practice (5:30pm & 7:30am Masses)	Church	7:00pm
	Building Committee	Parish Office	6:30pm
	RCIA <i>A Catholic Moral Vision</i>	Regina Cali Room	7:00pm
Friday March 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Stations of the Cross	Church	2:30pm School
	Stations of the Cross & Adoration	Church	6:30pm



### CHALICE FOR VOCATIONS

Thank you to our families who are praying for those being called by God to live our vocations.

Mar. 05	R. & L. Shadburn	11:00am
Mar. 12	R. & C. Hussey	11:00am
Mar. 19	B. & D. Keller	9:15am



### FOCUS ON FAITH FORMATION

Honestly, what are your priorities: family relationships, material comfort, social status, or job security? As a Catholic, God should be our priority. If you live your life with God as your priority, all your needs will be satisfied accordingly. Remember God knows you better than you know yourself. Trust that God will provide what is best for you. Do not judge yourself or others by what possessions you own, or value what others opinion of you. It is all in God's plan. Live your life so the judgement of Christ is your focus and not the judgement of your neighbor. You do not know what God has in store for you, but in the end, faithful servants will receive God's just reward. Peace & Blessings,

Patricia St. Amour, DFF

**NO RE CLASS ON WEDNESDAY MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup>.**  
ATTEND 6:30 PM ASH WEDNESDAY MASS WITH YOUR FAMILY.

### **Sacrament Preparation Parent /Child Meeting 2**

Sunday March 5<sup>th</sup>, 1 – 3:30 in the Parish Hall. Chapters 1-4 should be completed.

At least one parent needs to attend.

### **ADULT FAITH FORMATION**

Bible Study each Tuesday  
Explore First Corinthians  
Regina Caeli room of the Ave Maria Bldg.  
1:30pm to 3:30pm OR 6:00pm to 8:00pm  
Workbook is \$25.00

### **ALTAR SOCIETY UPDATE**

Next luncheon is **Wednesday, March 8<sup>th</sup>**. Please mark your calendars. Forms for volunteer hours for 2017 and registration forms for the ADCCW Convention at Bryan-College Station in April will be available at the meeting.



## FALCON'S CORNER

**Join Us** next Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup>, at 11:00 a.m., for our Family Mass at

St. Mary Catholic Church. Our students will prepare the Mass and participate in all aspects. Please look for our students in uniform showing their school pride. Information will be available after Mass for the 2017-2018 school year. If you have questions or would like to schedule a tour we can help you.



### 5K FundRun

Have you signed up for our 5K FundRun yet? This fun event on April 8<sup>th</sup> will raise money for tuition assistance. You may sign

up on line or with our representatives available after our Family Mass next Sunday. (<https://runsignup.com/stmarys5kfundrun>).

### Calling all St. Mary's Catholic School Alumni

Have you registered for our Alumni Luncheon yet?

All alumni and families are invited to join us in celebrating 120 years of Catholic education.

When: March 4<sup>th</sup> 12:00-2:00 p.m.

Where: St. Mary's Parish Hall.

Cost: \$10 per person. Purchase your tickets at [www.stmarys-temple.org/alumni](http://www.stmarys-temple.org/alumni)

God bless,

Mrs. Theresa Wyles, Principal



Temple Society #114 monthly business meeting is scheduled

for Thursday, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm in the Ave Maria Building. Anyone interested in joining the Society is welcome to attend. For additional information or questions, contact Terry Simonton at 254.642.0103 or Gene Pavlat at 254.778.8954.



## Cedarbrake Retreats

### Ash Wednesday Day of Reflection, March 1

Includes Mass and distribution of ashes, with time for reflection presented by Cedarbrake staff.

### Silent Lenten Retreat, March 10-12

Weekend of silence, communal prayer and Mass

### Heart of Mary Women's Discernment Retreat

March 31 – April 2 Ages 18-45

Encounter the beauty of a vocation in religious life. Consecrated Sisters of the Apostles of the Interior Life will lead the retreat with time for prayer and one-on-one conversations. Contact the diocesan Vocation Office at 512.949.2430

## MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

For a holier Lent, why not spend time away with your spouse? It's a weekend for married couples who have a good marriage, but want a great marriage. Details for the next weekend:

March 31 – April 2 Wingate Hotel Round Rock

visit [www.austinme.org](http://www.austinme.org) to apply or contact Michael and Shani Cowart at 512.677.9963

## Counseling Services

Catholic Charities is excited to offer this service for individuals, couples and families at St. Joseph Church in Killeen. Offered on a sliding scale fee structure, appointments are available Mondays

11am-6pm and Wednesdays 8am-4pm.

Call 254.383.1452 for more information.

## OUR LADY OF SCHOENSTATT

For those who have been consecrated to Jesus through Mary, or any woman who would like to participate, join a Lenten retreat at the Shrine of Our Lady of Schoenstatt in Austin on Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup> 9:30am to 12noon. The morning of prayer and reflection will conclude with Mass to celebrate the feast of the Annunciation. To register, call 512.330.0602.