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SUNDAY, JULY 11, 2021

15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. The Twelve drove out many demons, and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them. - Mk 6:7, 13

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CONGRATULATIONS, DEACON RICAUD!

Bishop Joe Vásquez ordained Fernando Ricaud (left), Sam Bass (center) and Jakob Hurlimann (right) to the transitional diaconate on May 15 at St. Vincent de Paul Parish in Austin. God willing, the men will be ordained priests around this time next year. Bishop Daniel Garcia of Monterey, California, (far right) was also present for the ordination.

PARISH NURSERY NOW OPEN

We are excited to announce that the Parish Nursery, located in the St. Joseph Early Learning Center, Room #3, is now open during the Sunday 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Masses.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED

St. Joseph Health Hospitals in Bryan and College Station invite volunteer applicants for the ministry to patients as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. Volunteers must have completed the Ethics & Integrity in Ministry (EIM) course within the last three years and have been trained as an EM. We ask that you agree to a minimum of one year commitment. Schedule is flexible. Only COVID-19 vaccinated individuals are being considered at this time. "I was sick and you visited me..." Matthew 25:36 // For more information on how to apply to the St. Joseph Spiritual Care program, please email or call the Volunteer Services department at volunteer@st-joseph.org or (979) 776-5956.

KJZT CATHOLIC FAMILY LIFE

On Monday, July 19, KJZT Catholic Family Life will have its quarterly meeting at St. Joseph Parish Activity Center beginning at 6 p.m. We will discuss our upcoming Garage Sale, have a report on our Virtual Parish Festival and work on mail-outs for our "No-Bake Bake Sale" fundraising project. KJZT will provide the meat dish for our Pot Luck Dinner. Members are asked to bring vegetables, salads or desserts. Please contact Helen Metzer, hmetzerbcs@gmail.com if you will be attending by Sunday, July 18.

MASS SCHEDULE: Saturday Vigil: 6 p.m. | **Sunday Mass:** 7 a.m., 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 5:30 p.m.
Daily Mass: Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday at 8:15 a.m. | Tuesday & Thursday at 6 p.m.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, July 12| 8:15 a.m.
Monroe and Ruth Davis
Special Intentions Ralph C.

Tuesday, July 13 | 6 p.m.
Msgr. James Plagens
Alice Lero
Sp. Intentions: Dena George

Wednesday, July 14 | 8:15 a.m.
Vickie Dusek
Theresa Friedrich

Thursday, July 15 | 6 p.m.
Miles and Stella Autrey
Mary Sikorski
Ruth Dracoulis

Friday, July 16 | 8:15 a.m.
Laverne Piccolo
Christine Beatty

Saturday, July 17
8:15 a.m.| Maureen Linklater
Mary-Peter Sen Ky Nguyen
6 p.m. | David Plagens
Roland Aranda
Robert Yeager
Sp. Intentions Christopher Peters

Sunday, July 18
7 a.m. | William and Lillian Kruse
9 a.m. | Josephine Adams
Peter-Mary Hely
Christine L. Beatty
11 a.m. | Todd Gregg
Pete and Camella Scamardo
5:30 p.m. | Edna Shimek
Luke and Nita Patranella

SANCTUARY LIGHT

In Memory of Joe and Dolores Kuciemba
By their children

FLOWERS

In Memory of Timmy Tietjen
By Tim, Margaret and Laura

BAPTISMS

We welcome the following who received the Sacrament of Baptism:

Carson Fisher Shehane
Ana Isabela Madrid
Miabella Rose Alcala Herrera
Jonathan Burr Habeeb

Weekly Schedule

Sunday, July 11
Sportsmanship Banquet tickets sold after Mass
Monday, July 12
Tuesday, July 13
12 noon Prayer for our Country at Veterans Park
Wednesday, July 14
10-11 a.m. Rosary Guild Meeting at PAC
11:30 a.m. Brown Scapular Workers Meeting in PAC Annex
6 p.m. Men's Welcome Meeting at PAC Annex
Thursday, July 15
11:30 a.m. Age Managers at PAC
2-3 p.m. Church Office Closed for Weekly Staff Meeting
6:30-9:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting at PAC
Friday, July 16
Saturday, July 17
Sunday, July 18

Registered Households:
1,994

Fiscal Year:
July 1, 2020- June 30, 2021

ONLINE GIVING

Online Giving is available for parishioners via WeShare. To enroll in Online Giving, please visit: stjosephbcs.weshareonline.org.

GIVING

Week of June 28-July 4	
Sunday Collection	**$20,773**
Online Contributions	**$4,990**
Total	**$25,763**

REST IN PEACE

Please remember in prayer the following who have died. Our sympathies are with the families:

Richard Rosas
Carolyn Fazzino Prejean

WEDDING BANNS

The following couples are preparing to receive the Sacrament of Matrimony at St. Joseph Church.

July 24: Matthew Markett & Anjelica Mendoza

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

Do you have a loved one, family member, friend or neighbor who is unable to attend Mass due to his/her physical condition or illness? We are available to bring Holy Communion on Sunday mornings to those in need. Please call the Church office at (979) 822-2721 to be added to our list.

BROWN SCAPULAR WORKERS

The next Brown Scapulars workers meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 14 at 11:30 a.m. in the PAC Annex.

KofC SPORTSMANSHIP BANQUET

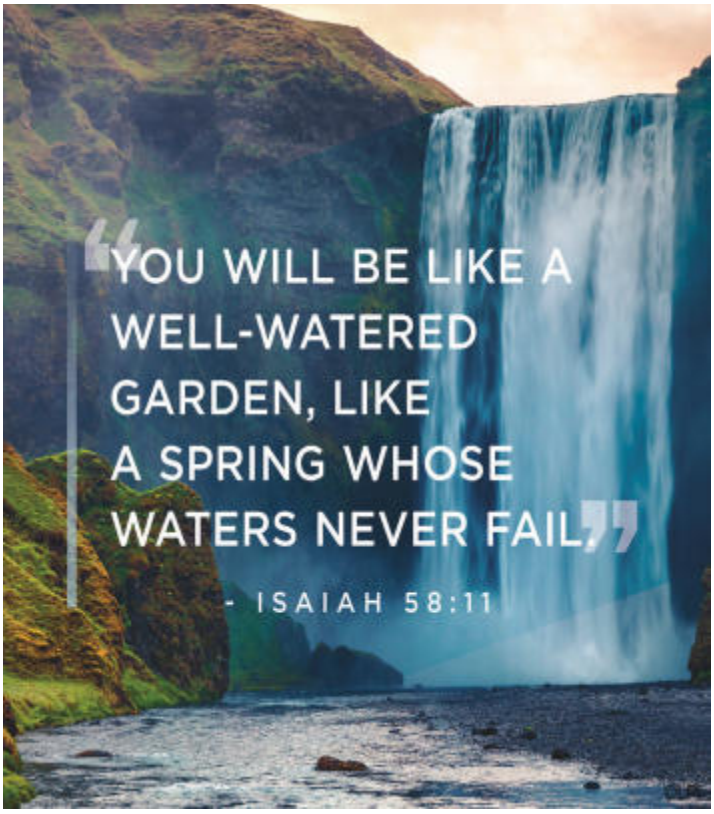
Knights of Columbus Council 11759 is pleased to announce that we will be hosting our 20th Annual Sportsman's Banquet on Saturday, August 28 at the St Joseph Parish Activity Center. The event will begin at 5:30 p.m. and will include a Silent Auction, Bucket Raffle, Cooler Raffle, The Big Ten Raffle and Door Prize drawings throughout the evening. We will serve a steak and chicken dinner at 7 p.m. and drawings will begin immediately after the dinner. Tickets for the event are $75 each. If you are interested in purchasing a table for the event, you can contact Charlie Ballew at cballew54@gmail.com or by leaving a message at (979) 820-0523. We are also seeking donations to underwrite Auction and Raffle Prizes. Seating is limited. We hope to see you there.

PREPARE-ENRICH TRAINING

The Office of Life, Marriage and Family will offer a facilitator's training for Prepare-Enrich on July 24 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the diocesan Pastoral Center for those interested in helping couples, married and/or preparing for marriage, strengthen their relationship. This training will be held in person. To register, visit this page on the diocesan website: https://www.austindiocese.org/marriage-prep-leader-training. For more information send an email to Luisa de Poo (luisa-depoo@austindiocese.org) or call (512) 949-2487.

ADORATION NEEDY HOURS

If you are searching for a meaningful way to serve our parish, without conflicting with family, work or other responsibilities, there are multiple opportunities available at Eucharistic Adoration. There are several full-time (one hour per week) opportunities available for individuals, prayer teams, couples (empty nesters), students, retirees or anyone who is interested in improving their spiritual relationship. Please visit stjosephbcs.org/adoration for a listing of needy hours.



ETHICS & INTEGRITY IN MINISTRY (EIM)

All clergy, religious, seminarians, employees and adult volunteers serving in a church ministry must attend an EIM Workshop every 3 years. New employees and volunteers are required to receive in-person training. As of January 1, 2021, persons who are updating/renewing their compliance (every three years) will be allowed to take an online training course. Visit www.austindiocese.org/workshop for more details.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION UPDATE

Beginning Fall 2021, we will resume in person classes for Religious Education through the parish. We are looking to find around **30-40 volunteers to help impart the faith to our young ones**. If interested, contact Kevin Kapchinski at kkapchinski@stjosephbcs.org or by calling the Church Office at (979) 822-2721.

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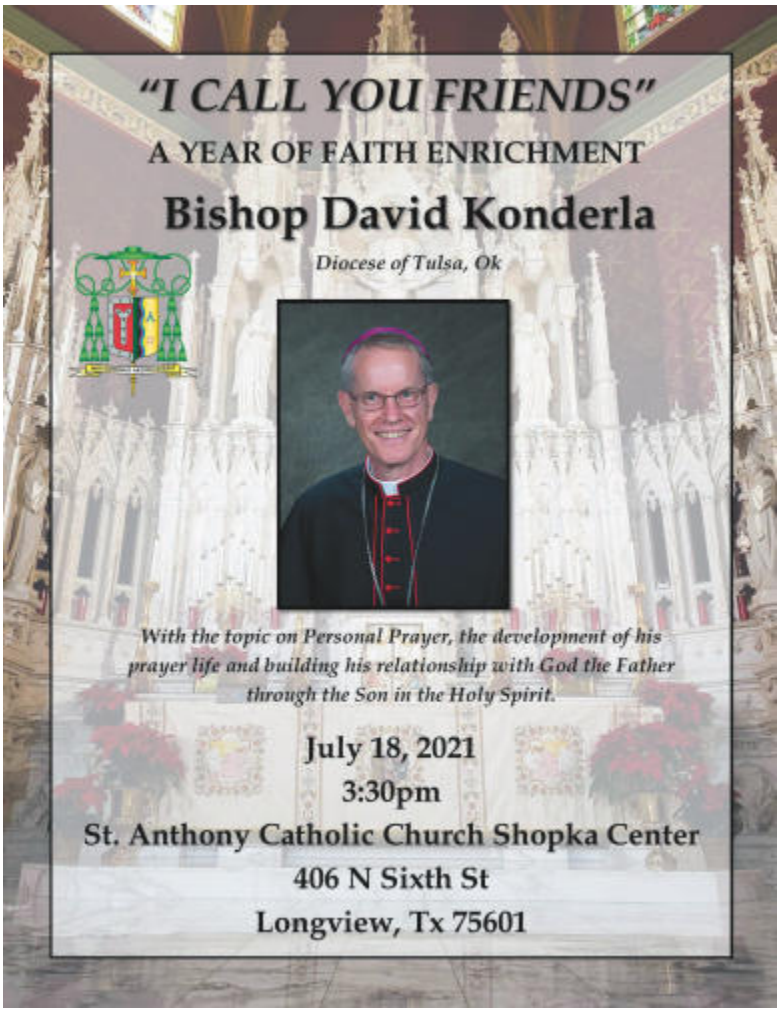

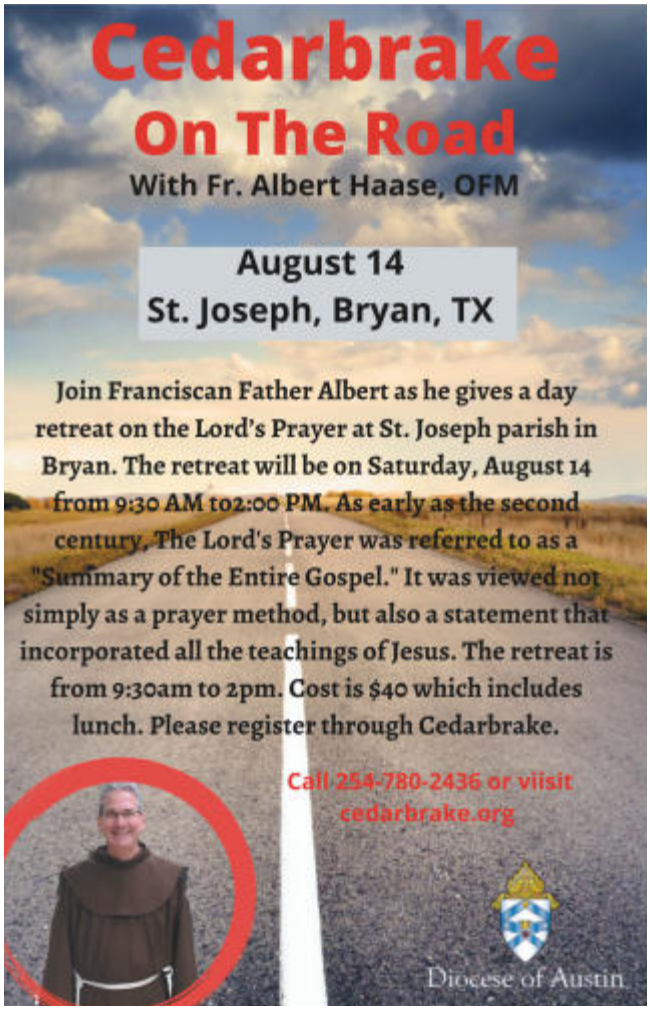

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PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please remember the following in prayer. May the healing presence of Christ restore them to physical and spiritual health:

Kay Kipp, R.C. Slocum, Amber Salvatore, John Ponzio Conception and Mary Luna, Ricky Allred, Lori Nemec, Ronny Young, Albert Morales, Catherine Behrens, Gregg Gormley, Catherine Lange, Cecilia Hanlon, Charlotte Wilmer, Ted Dawson, James Moore, Robert Starnes, Emil Geffert, Martha Manouchehri, Arthur Philp, Philip Schulz, Diane Kushner, Willie and Josie Milberger, Irma Hernandez, Emil Matura, Jan Sis, Mary Stevens, Butch Kamps, Kole Lipscomb, Carol Seibert, Mayela Canales, Liz Swetish, Jessica Yandell, Theresa Dylla, Leroy and Carol Touchton, Kris Kapchinski, Robert and Janie Villalpando, Edward Luza, Paulette Beatty, Angie Starnes, Tonito Rodriquez, Joe Ramirez, Mark Johnson

Names remain on this list for 4 weeks. If a name needs to remain in the bulletin, please call the Church Office at (979) 822-2721.

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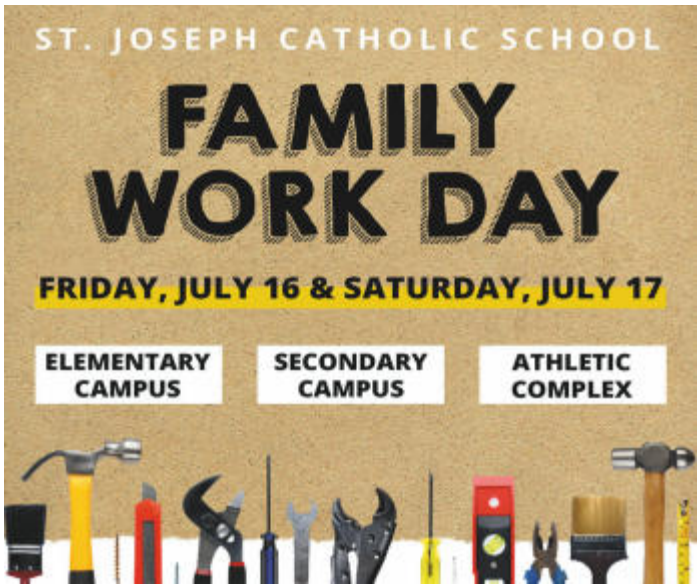

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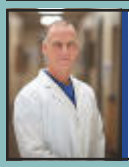

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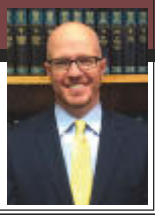

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