

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES & INTENTIONS

Sunday, October 3	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 a.m.	+Carol Ann Bliznak by Johnny Bliznak
10:30 a.m.	All the People of the Parish
12:00 Noon	+Robert Nelson by Ken & Fay Roussel
Monday, October 4	
7:00 a.m.	+Hunter Nhan by Parents
Tuesday, October 5	
9:00 a.m.	Catherine O'Brien by O'Brien Family
Wednesday, October 6	
7:00 a.m.	Thanksgiving to St. Jude by Ronnie & Marie Bishop
Thursday, October 7	
7:00 a.m.	Judy Colvin by Terry & Mary Kosspiel Paul & Patricia O'Brien by Catherine O'Brien
Friday, October 8	
9:00 a.m.	Global Unbound Community by Brenda Noorbakhsh +Ralph "Tiger" Burnworth by Adam Liuzza
Saturday, October 9	
4:00 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:30 p.m.	Alonzo & Denettie Landin by Deacon Dan & Joanne Vaughan
Sunday, October 10	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 a.m.	+Carroll Landry by Kathy Leving
10:30 a.m.	All the People of the Parish
12:00 Noon	+Carol Ann Bliznak by Johnny Bliznak

SACRIFICIAL GIVING: September 25-26, 2021 with 1302 families:

Regular Weekend Collection	\$9,457.00
(Envelopes and loose checks)	
Loose Plate	\$2,510.37
Mailed in Envelopes	\$3,215.00
Other Receipts.....	\$467.13
Building Fund	\$215.00
Grand Total	\$15,864.50

- Diocesan Seminarian Education..... \$3,561.01
- Various Other Second Collections \$15.00

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday, October 3	
12:10-2:10 p.m.	PK-6 RE
2:00-3:30 p.m.	Life Chain
6:00-8:00 p.m.	TNT
Monday, October 4	
6:45 p.m.	Celebration Choir Practice
Tuesday, October 5	
6:30 a.m.	Men's Spirituality Group
8:30 a.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation
12:30-2:30 p.m.	Ladies Share Group
6:15-8:15 p.m.	Adult Scripture Study
7:00-8:30 p.m.	RCIA
Wednesday, October 6	
6:30 p.m.	Men's Spirituality Group
6:30-8:00 p.m.	7-12 RE
7:00-9:00 p.m.	Parish Choir Practice
Thursday, October 7	
9:15-11:30 a.m.	Women's Scripture Study
Friday, October 8	
8:30-9:00 a.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday, October 9	
4:00 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation
4:45-5:15 p.m.	Sabbath Choir Rehearsal
Sunday, October 10	
12:10-2:10 p.m.	PK-6 RE

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 3 – OCTOBER 16

Sunday	Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4,-5, 6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12
Monday	Jon 1:1-2:2, 11; Jonah 2:3, 4, 5, 8; Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday	Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1B-2, 3-4AB, 7-8; Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday	Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4
Thursday	Mal 3:13-20B; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 11:5-13
Friday	Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6 and 16, 8-9; Lk 11:15-26
Saturday	Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Lk 11:27-28

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Chad Bartosh, Veronica Bartosh, Joe Bayer, Jacque Boutell, Harold Bush, Darold Calk, Judy Colvin, Hunter Davis, Jerry Fincher, Rhys Galinak, Jim Gallagher, Manuel Hernandez, John Higuera, Jeff Hood, Roberta Lambert, Jim Lessin, Robert Leucht, Jim Luyet, Donna Martin, Angie Nelson, Terry Novak, Claudette Perry, Tim Phillips, Mary Pizzorno, Pamela Poole, Joey Schaefer, Reynaldo Simone, Dick & Joann Vestal, Antonio Villanueva, Octaviano Villanueva, Randy & Rosie Watson, Maureen White, Laverne Yarborough. *Names are removed from the prayer list after four weeks unless the office is notified.*

ABILENE'S LIFE CHAIN will take place this Sunday, October 3, from 2:00-3:30 p.m. in front of Holy Family Church. Bishop Sis will be here to lead the event. Everyone is invited to join others across the USA in this prayerful public witness to support the sanctity of human life. For questions, please contact Peggy Callahan at 941-932-0216.

THE LADIES SHARE GROUP is meeting again in room 202 in the Parish Center each Tuesday at 12:30 pm. We'd love to have you join us as we grow in faith and pray together. This semester we are studying JP2's Letter to Women so that we can better understand how God has created us unique and how to use our gifts to bless others. Grab a friend and come join us.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO ATTEND RCIA: Please join us at 7:00 p.m. this Tuesday if you are a baptized Catholic who needs to receive Confirmation and First Communion, or are not Catholic and wish to learn more about the Catholic Church. For more information, please contact Bob Moore at 210-284-8079 or the parish office.

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT HIRED. After consulting with the members of our Parish Finance Council, Msgr. Fred, and the recent Selection Committee, the Pastor has appointed Mrs. Suzanne L. Rhodes as the Administrative Assistant to assist the pastor and parishioners in the areas of Pastoral and Sacramental Life of the parish, effective September 24, 2021. She comes to us with experience in the fields of Sacramental Life of the Church and Business Managerial Skills. As we welcome her to our parish administrative staff, we also extend our full support and cooperation so that she may carry out the assigned duties faithfully and serve the people of God effectively.

2021 DIOCESAN ANNUAL CONFERENCE DAY will be held October 16, 2021. This year it will be a Virtual Conference. The keynote speaker is Tom East, author, speaker, and most recently Director of the Center for Ministry Development. This day will feature keynote presentation and breakout sessions. The cost is \$25.00 if postmarked before October 1, 2021, and \$35.00 on or after October 1, 2021. For more information, contact the Office of Evangelization and Catechesis: 325-651-7500, or go to evangelizationcatechesis@sanangelodiocese.org. Visit www.accelevents.com/e/sanangelodiciplehip for online registration.

THE LOST AND FOUND CABINET has been relocated to the Church Office. If you have left something behind, please come to the office between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

THE JOINT MEETING OF THE PASTORAL COUNCIL AND FINANCE COUNCIL: The pastor has called for the joint meeting of our parish Pastoral and Finance Councils which will be held on October 7, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center. All the members of the Councils are requested to be present.

BAPTISM

The sacrament of Baptism will be administered at Holy Family Church on the following dates; and the baptismal preparatory classes will be offered one week prior to the date of Baptism. For more information, please call the Parish Office.

<u>CLASS DATE</u>	<u>DATE OF BAPTISM</u>
October 9, 2021	October 16, 2021
November 13, 2021	November 20, 2021
December 4, 2021	December 11, 2021

Dear Padre

October 3, 2021

I just got my new driver's license, and my wife is encouraging me to sign up to be an organ donor. Are organ transplants permitted by the Catholic Church?

Yes, under certain conditions. The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* affirms that “organ transplants are in conformity with the moral law if the physical and psychological dangers and risks to the donor are proportionate to the good that is sought for the recipient” (CCC 2296).

Organ transplants from a dead person to a living person must fulfill two additional criteria: First, the donor must give free and informed consent prior to death, or those who legitimately speak on the donor's behalf must do so at the time of death. And second, the donor must be dead before the tissue can be harvested—in other words, the donor must not be declared dead prematurely, nor may the donor's death be hastened just to use the organs. The *Catechism* adds, “Organ donation after death is a noble and meritorious act and is to be encouraged as an expression of generous solidarity.”

The transplantation of organs from a living donor must fulfill two criteria: First, the removal of the organ must not seriously impair the donor's health or bodily function. Second, the donor must make an informed and free decision recognizing the potential risks involved.

Fr. David Louch, CSSR

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VOCATION CROSS FOR THE HOME: Please volunteer to take home the Vocation Cross that is located on the table in the church foyer. The parish is invited to join your family in praying for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

October 3 – Joe & Betty Hudson
October 10 – Jane Mercado

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