

**September 8, 2024 –Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**St. Joseph Mass Intention**

**Sept. 7, Saturday**

- 5:00 pm + Edwin & Margaret Zgabay
- + Peter, Lec & Teresa Koeniger

**Sept. 8, Sunday**

- 8:00 am + Elaine Muzny

**Sept. 10, Tuesday**

- 0:00 pm **MASS CANCELLED**

**Sept. 12, Thursday (The Most Holy Name of Mary)**

- 0:00 am **MASS CANCELLED**

**Sept. 13, Friday (St. John Chrysostom, Bishop)**

- 0:00 am **MASS CANCELLED**

**Sept. 14, Saturday (The Exaltation of The Holy Cross)**

- 5:00pm + Grandparents of the Spacek & Mikulin Families

**Sept. 15, Sunday**

- 8:00 am + Jim & Julia Bayer

<b>Sept. 9</b>
1 Corinthians 5:1-8 Luke 6:6-11
<b>Sept. 10</b>
1 Corinthians 6:1-11 Luke 6:12-19
<b>Sept. 11</b>
1 Corinthians 7:25-31 Luke 6:20-26
<b>Sept. 12</b>
1 Corinthians 8:1b-7 Luke 6:27-38
<b>Sept. 13</b>
1 Corinthians 9:16-19 Luke 6:39-42
<b>Sept. 14</b>
Numbers 21:4b-9 John 3:13-17
<b>Sept. 15</b>
Isaiah 50:4c-9a James 2:14-18 Mark 8:27-35

**Holy Family Mass Intentions**

**Sept. 8, Sunday**

- 10:00am + Mary Schumacher/Marian Carlile/Viola Kalina

**Sept. 11, Wednesday**

- 0:00 pm **MASS CANCELLED**

**Sept. 15, Sunday**

- 10:00am + Billy Bownds/Viola Riffert/Ione Thompson

**For Sunday Sept. 1: Attendance: 94 Collection: Regular: \$1618.00**

**Building & Maintenance Fund: \$300.00**

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

**Reflection** 

Our readings today offer us a message of hope — God is with us and wants to heal us. May this message come ablaze in our hearts so that we might live with unwavering faith. The Gospel presents us with the story of the profound physical healing of a deaf man with a speech impediment. People brought him to Jesus and begged for his healing. Jesus took the man off by himself, touched his ears and his tongue, then proclaimed, “Be opened!” Immediately he was healed. This story in our Gospel overwhelms us with comfort and peace because we have a compassionate God who sees our physical needs. Yet if we reflect further on this reading, we see that God uses this moment of physical healing as an opportunity to restore something much deeper — our souls.

**Stewardship**

Oftentimes we are blind and deaf to God in our lives. We miss countless opportunities to see God working in our day-to-day moments — through our loved ones, our community, or even a stranger. We miss the quiet voice of Jesus in our hearts telling us to choose Him instead of sin, respond in love instead of anger, or care for someone else in a moment instead of ourselves. These are how we need to be spiritually healed. And the scriptures remind us that God is with us and wants to heal us. This week let us seek God to heal our souls and transform our hearts. Let us pray that our eyes and our ears might “be open” to His workings, words, and promptings in our lives.

**Bulletin Information: Submit by Tuesday to 979-884-3100 or [office@stjoedb.org](mailto:office@stjoedb.org)**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Money Counters</u>
<b>Sat. Sept. 7</b>	Zach Zgabay	Floyd Kostelka Volunteer	Zach Zgabay Volunteer	Joseph M. Michael M.	
<b>Sunday Sept. 8</b>	Craig Lysiak	James Muzny Jimmy Muzny	Craig Lysiak James Krenek	Henry K. Daniel K.	James Krenek James Muzny

<b>Sat. Sept. 14</b>	Ida Schuman	Will Mikulin Volunteer	Ida Schuman Volunteer	Tomas H. Alma H.	
<b>Sunday Sept. 15</b>	Kristin Fritsche	Charles Fritsche Marcus Fritsche	Charles Fritsche Holly Muzny	J.W. M. Aubrey C.	Charles & Kristin Fritsche

**For Sunday Aug. 31-Sept. 1: Attendance: 99 Collection: Regular: \$2411.00**

**Building & Maintenance Fund: \$541.00**

**Sanctuary Light: For Much Needed Rain**

**Web Site:**

[www.stjoedb.org](http://www.stjoedb.org)

[www.holyfamilylex.org](http://www.holyfamilylex.org)

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

**CCD Classes:** Our CCD classes begins today, **Sept. 8th at 9:00am** in the parish hall.

**Weekday Mass Cancellations:** Just a reminder, Father Andrew will be on a weekly retreat, and the daily masses will be cancelled from **Sept. 10-13<sup>th</sup>**.

**Visiting Priest:** Please welcome Msgr. Leonard Pivonka who will be our visiting priest on Saturday, **September 14<sup>th</sup>** while Father is on his retreat.

**Youth Group:** Starting Wednesday, **September 25th**, the Youth Group will have their first gathering in the parish hall at 7:00pm with Mrs. Jaime Aguilar.

**September Winners:** Linens- (No Starch): Debbie Kostelka  
Flowers-Charlotte Mikulin

**Condolences to the Family of Alwin Fritsche:** Please keep in your prayers Alwin Fritsche, father of LaTosha Mikulin & Angel Fritsche who passed away on Friday, August 30, 2024. May the Perpetual Light Shine upon him and may his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, Rest in Peace. Please keep his family also in your prayers.

**Chosen & Beloved:** The Diocese of Austin Vocations Women's Discernment Event will be held on **September 28<sup>th</sup>** at 9:00am – 3:30pm at Saint Mary's Cathedral. This event is open to women 14-35 years of age. For further information see bulletin board.

**Project Andrew:** The Diocese of Austin Vocations Men's Discernment Event will be held at two different locations. The first location will be at Saint Louis King of France in Austin on **October 5<sup>th</sup>** starting at 9:00am. And the second will be held at Saint Anthony's Catholic Church in Bryan on **October 12<sup>th</sup> starting** at 9:00am. For further information see bulletin board.

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**Fullness of Truth:** invites you to their exciting Fall Catholic Family Conference entitled, "The Catholic Culture Revival! Restoring the Good, True & Beautiful to a Searching World" at the Kalahari Resort & Convention Center in Round Rock, Texas, **October 4th – 6th**. For registration, the event schedule and room reservations, **visit our website:** <https://www.fullnessoftruth.org/rr24/> or call: 877.218-7884.

**Weekday Mass Intentions:** Daily Mass intentions are available. If you have a loved one that you would like to remember or pray for, please fill out the mass intention envelope and place in collection basket.

**Special Prayers for the Sick:** RJ Muzny Jalane Wiederhold Louis Muzny  
Rev. Msgr. Isidore Rozycki Elena Massey Patsy Krenek Josephine Schultz  
Jamin White Sue Bradford Becky Dallke Oscar Slovacek Dennis Lysiak  
Patricia Tarnowski John T. Eubanks Brian Peters Arnold & Florice Tydlacka  
Evelyn Housenga Bennie & Doris Supak Archie Kubena Jaydem Mueller  
Nisha George Emmanuel James Chmelar Dwayne Muzny Kathleen Ayles  
Troy Weigand Megan (Kocurek) Longshore Christine Bogler Lynnlee Kocurek  
Donnie Richards Edward Beran Jerry Best Sue Dziobala Miers Donna Iselt  
Tristen Lee Jennifer Ensey Glenn Mikulin Brisa Jaimes Sue Havelka  
V. Alfreda Przybyla Haylee Reiley Rachel Kocurek Key Bill Williams  
Charlotte Mikulin Danny Iselt  
**(May they be freed from danger, relieved of suffering, and held fast in the tender arms of Jesus, the Divine Healer!)**

### Up Coming Events:

September 8, 2024	St. Mary's Fall Festival	Taylor, TX
September 15, 2024	Lee Co. 4H Fried Chicken	Lincoln, TX.
October 4 <sup>th</sup> 5 <sup>th</sup> 2024	Dime Box Homecoming	Dime Box, TX
October 5, 2024	St. Mary's Fall Festival	Pin Oak, TX
October 6, 2024	Holy Family Annual Fall Festival	Lexington, TX
October 6, 2024	Holy Rosary Fall Festival	Frenstat, TX
October 13, 2024	Annual Fire Dept Fundraiser	Deanville, TX

## Calendar of Events Holy Family – Lexington

**Weekday Mass Cancellations:** Just a reminder, Father Andrew will be on a weekly retreat, and the daily mass will be cancelled on Wed. **Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>.**

**LIVE AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED:** We are looking for 75-80 live auction suitable items for the upcoming fall festival. Please get with Cathy with your donated items Cathy will also be accepting cash donations to purchase items from the parishioners. Please contact Cathy Bayer (979) 540-6015 or email [cathybayer@ymail.com](mailto:cathybayer@ymail.com)

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**Special Prayers for the Sick:** For the sick members of the Holy Family Community: Caleb Schmidt Karla Blaine Paul Goocher Phillip Sims Keith Sims Brian Koehler Eleanor Gonzales Laura Casco Tommy Adams Haylee Reiley Sean Sullivan Linda Goocher Santos Gonzales KC Hudson Harper Pittman Eric Anthony Martinez Mary Best Juanita Greene Virginia Schmidt Blake Gibson Avery Wright Mary Truex Barbara Sanders Hart Oshman Paul Rockett J.B. Freeman Nisha George Billy Paul Richards William Weiser Brisa Jaimes Arnold & Florice Tydlacka Tucker McCord Marino Cardona, Jr. Sue Havelka

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### **Upcoming Life Teen Events**

Sept 11th - Life Night (8th - 12th grade)  
Sept 18th - Edge Night (5th - 7th grade)  
Sept 25th - Life Night (8th - 12th grade)  
Oct 2nd - Edge Night (5th - 7th grade)  
Oct 9th - Life Night (8th - 12th grade)  
Oct 16th - Edge Night (5th - 7th grade)  
Oct 23rd - Life Night (8th - 12th grade)  
Oct 30th - Family Night  
Nov 6th - Edge Night (5th - 7th grade)  
Nov 13th - Life Night (8th - 12th grade)  
Nov 20th -Thanksgiving Celebration for 5th - 12th  
Dec 4th - Edge Night (5th - 7th grade)  
Dec 11th - Life Night (8th - 12th grade)

### **2024 Church Cleaning Schedule** (Clean Any Day the Week Of)

Kubicek September 9-September 14  
Kubicek September 16-September 21  
Kubicek September 23-September 28  
Johnson September 30-October 5  
Johnson October 7-October 12  
Scott October 14-October 19  
Scott October 21-October 26

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