

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH – NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY – HIGH HILL
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2023 – TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sir 27:30-28:7 Rom 14:7-9 Mt 18:21-35 (130)

Wednesday, September 20 th	5:30 PM	Deane & Jeanne Lauher
Sunday, September 24 th	10:15 AM	Armand Hollas
Wednesday, September 27 th	5:30 PM	Mrs. Laverne Brown
Saturday, September 30 th	2:00 PM	Kevin Carrozza and Kendra Valchar
Sunday, October 1 st	10:15 AM	Alton Popp

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

There is help needed with CCD in the following areas: Teacher – 1st grade, Aide -10th grade, Hall/yard monitors – Grades 1-8. PLEASE CONSIDER HELPING OUT! LET US KNOW IF YOU ARE INTERESTED! IF YOU ARE NOT YET REGISTERED, please do so as soon as possible! You can drop off registration forms at the office any time in the mail slot, or you can go to the office between 8 am and 5 pm to get blank forms and fill them out. If you have any questions about our program, please contact Nicole Michalke (Grades 1-8, 979-743-5617) or Lynne Machac (Grades 9-11, 979-561-6702).

SATURDAY SEMINAR

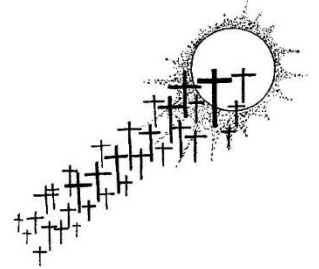
Join Dr. Michael Fonseca on Saturday, September 30, inspired by our recent pilgrimage to Mexico City, as he discusses Our Blessed Mother. In all her apparitions around the world her message is the same. She desires to bring the hearts and souls of the faithful to her beloved Son, Jesus. The seminar is Saturday, September 30 and will begin at 9 a.m. and end at 1 p.m. and will include a lunch. There will also be a light breakfast and coffee for those who arrive early. Doors will open at 8:30 a.m. To register contact GEM at 979-561-8883 or visit www.godsembrace.org.

ROSARY CONGRESS

The Annual Diocesan Rosary Congress will begin on October 1st. From that time and continuing for seven days, the rosary will be recited during Eucharistic adoration every hour somewhere in the Diocese. St. Rose of Lima will begin the 24-hour time of adoration before the Blessed Sacrament beginning with a Mass on Tuesday, October 3rd at 6pm, and will end with Mass on Wednesday, October 4th @ 6pm. Each hour of adoration will begin with the Holy Rosary. We are asking members of St. Rose of Lima, and its mission parishes, St. John-Ammannsville, St. Mary's - High Hill and St. Wenceslaus - Holman to participate in this event that will be held at St. Rose of Lima. Please contact the parish office at 979-743-3117 to sign up to lead a rosary at the beginning of an hour of adoration that you will be attending. If you are unable to sign up, you are still encouraged and welcome to attend any of the adoration hours.

THAT MAN IS YOU!

Interested in becoming a better husband, father, and authentic Catholic leader? Please join the men of our local parishes at the Schulenburg KC Hall from 6 to 7:30 AM on Fridays. There is still time to participate in a program that will change your life. Call/text Mark Hudec at 713.854.1335 for further details.



ARE YOU READY TO BECOME A SAINT?

God's Embrace Ministries is excited to announce a spiritual formation program where knowing the bible and living the bible meet. Beginning October 14, participants across the Diocese and beyond will have the opportunity to grow, understand, integrate, and share the Catholic faith in a new and transformative way. With a focus on the study of Scripture, the Catechism of the Catholic Church and Catholic spirituality as handed down to us by the saints, this opportunity is for anyone who serves in the life of the Church and desires to bring their faith to new life. More details will be coming soon. To reserve your spot and receive more information contact us: info@godsembrace.org or the GEM offices at 979-561-8883 (please note we will be out of the office through August 21 for the Our Lady of Guadalupe Pilgrimage).

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September 14	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
September 17	St. Wenceslaus, Holman annual Church picnic
October 7	Our Lady of the Rosary
October 23	<i>Special Collection</i> - World Mission Sunday
November 1	All Saints
November 2	All Souls' Day
November 19	<i>Special Collection</i> – Catholic Campaign for Human Development
November 26	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
December 3	First Sunday of Advent

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Restoration Box	\$ 155.00
Restoration (Patty Petersen Memorial)	\$ 50.00
Restoration (Anonymous)	\$ 100.00
Restoration (Alvin Eddie Saha Memorial)	\$ 20.00
Restoration (Wedding Rental)	\$ 250.00
Hall Rental	\$ 520.00
Picnic (Meat Donation)	\$ 200.00
Diocesan Coll (Catholic Comm)	\$ 20.00
Offertory (9/10/23)	\$ 1,552.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT	\$ 2,867.00

LAY MINISTERS

Rosary	Denise Trojacek – Lad Trojacek Barbara Cernoch
Eucharistic Minister	Stacy Oeding
Lector	Lad Trojacek
Altar Servers	Charlie Shank
Ushers	Willy Schmidt – Bob DeWitt
Ushers	Willie Joe Svetlik – Gilbert Winkler
Gifts	Gilbert & Karen Winkler

SUNDAY – OCTOBER 1

Joyce Dittrich – Mary K. Lauher
Mary Muras
Susie Shank
Kim Wellborn
Charlie Shank
Buddy Hemann – Gary Zweschper
Lonnie Taylor – Don Bohac
Gary & Alma Zweschper

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Renee Mazoch, Glen McLaren, Henry Miksch, Connor Machicek, Ken Dittrich, Francis Pio Pilkington, Leon Shank, Mary Shank, Larry Nuhn, Jessi Wilcox, Gordon Ross, Diana Heinrich, Doris Anders, Jan Ripper, Cheryl (Kobza) Powell, Nadine Kruschke, Steve Hopkins, Barbara Nugent, Luke Friedel, Orly R. Elizondo, Wilbert Demel, Elroy Demel, Terri Hanna, Georgia Kalich, Bruce Treybig, Carrol Ray Demel, Francis Ripper, Julia Oeding, Lillian Hilscher, Leon Popp, Mary Demel, Marilyn Adamcik, Lad Trojacek, Joyce Dittrich, Mildred Hollas, Kathy Kutac, Al Martinez, Willy Schmidt, and Edward Schwenke.