

**ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH – NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY – HIGH HILL**  
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**Rev. Jasper Liggio, Pastor – Rev. Luke Prihoda, Parochial Vicar**  
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**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2025 – FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8      1 Corinthians 15:1-11      Luke 5:1-11 (75)

Wednesday, February 12 <sup>th</sup>	5:30 PM	The Poor Souls in Purgatory
Sunday, February 16 <sup>th</sup>	10:15 PM	Virginia Holub
Wednesday, February 19 <sup>th</sup>	5:30 PM	Sharon Dittrich
Saturday, February 22 <sup>nd</sup>	2:00 PM	Wedding - Tyler Rolirad & Lana Hickson
Sunday, February 23 <sup>rd</sup>	10:15 PM	Parish Family

**CZECH CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF TEXAS (CCFT)**

*All are invited.* The CCFT 2025 Pilgrimage & Annual Meeting will be held at Sts. Cyril & Methodius Shrine in Dubina on Saturday, February 15. Mass will be at 11 AM in Czech & English with Czech choir. There will be a covered-dish luncheon after Mass and the Annual Meeting will follow luncheon. Hosted by Czech Catholic Foundation of Texas. For more information visit <https://czechcatholicfoundation.org/>.

**STRENGTH FOR THE JOURNEY GRIEF SUPPORT**

Grief Support Retreat for anyone who has experienced the loss of Children, Spouses, Relatives, Friends. This meeting will be held on Saturday, March 8, 2025 in St. Gabriel Room, Cathedral Center (3201 N. Laurent St., Victoria) from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (doors open at 8:30 a.m.) Registration Fee: \$ 10 per person, snack and lunch provided. Pre-registration required at [www.victoriadiocese.org/grief-support](http://www.victoriadiocese.org/grief-support). For more information, contact Pat Hoelscher, Spiritual Director at 979-257-9984, [phoelscher@victoriadiocese.org](mailto:phoelscher@victoriadiocese.org). Sponsored by the Diocese of Victoria.

**YOUTH SPECTACULAR**

Catholic Diocese of Victoria invites all high schoolers to the Youth Spectacular hosted by the Youth Leadership Team. "Made for More" will be held on Saturday, March 15, 2025, at the KC Hall in Hallettsville from 10:30 AM – 4:30 PM. The keynote speaker will be Dr. Alex Gotay with music from Clay Crockett and The Nation of Believers. Join in for a day of Praise & Worship, Adoration, Faith, Friendship and Fun! \$20/teen and \$10/adult chaperone. Group discounts are available. Early registration deadline is March 3, 2025. For more information or to register, visit [www.victoriadiocese.org/youth-spectacular](http://www.victoriadiocese.org/youth-spectacular).



**PRAYER & BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES**

- Flame of Love prayer group – every Tuesday in Church, after the 6 PM Mass in front of the statue of Mary.
- Morning Grace – (women’s bible study/prayer group) Thursday after 8:10 am Mass in the Family Life Center.
- Catholic Men Called to Be Saints – (men’s prayer group) meets every Friday at 6 AM at Schulenburg Hall.

**ST. MARY’S GIFT SHOP IN THE RECTORY**

The St. Mary High Hill Gift Shop is open often during the Painted Churches tours thanks to the volunteers from St. Anne’s Society. Additionally, if a parishioner needs to make a purchase, they can contact Jan Ripper at (979)561-8868 or Mary Demel at (979)561-8255. The gift shop offers religious articles, T-shirts, caps, wedding and Christmas gifts. We are always in need of extra help! You do not need to be a St. Anne’s member to volunteer. Again, if you are willing, you can contact Jan or Mary.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

March 5	Ash Wednesday
March 5	Collection for the Church in Central & Eastern Europe (CCEE)
March 19	Feast of the St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP:**

Restoration Box	\$ 54.00
Restoration (Anonymous)	\$ 55.00
Restoration (Wedding deposit)	\$ 375.00
<u>Offertory (2/2/25)</u>	<u>\$ 1,433.00</u>
Total Deposit	\$ 1,977.00

**LAY MINISTERS**

**SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 16**

Rosary	Tonya Stang – Pam Slaton
Eucharistic Minister	Eric Oeding
Lector	Mary Stavinoha
Altar Servers	Mikayla Stang
Ushers	Forrest Lauher – Eric Oeding
Ushers	Mark Stang – Gary Zweschper
Gifts	Gary & Alma Zweschper

**SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 25**

Loretta Pauler – Susie Shank
Susie Shank
Lad Trojacek
Charlie Shank
Matt Kubala – Tony Shank
Marshall Wellborn – Arlen Berger
Arlen & Candace Berger

**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 Kriskche, 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, Edward Schwenke, Angie Schwenke, Johnnie Bargas, Beth Hollywood, Carolyn Prihoda, Derek Schwenke, Harlan Hilscher, Collins Lehrmann, Buddy Dittrich and Patrick Pilkington.