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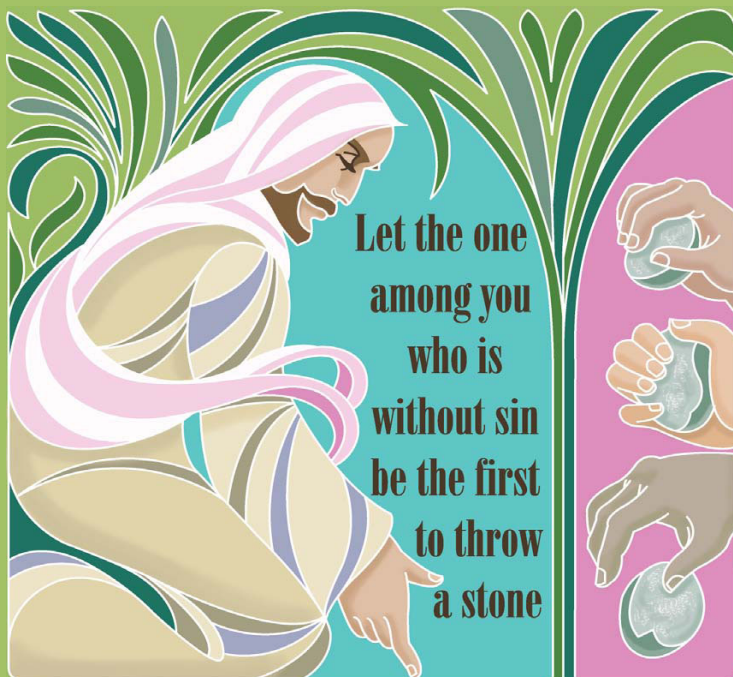
Weekend Mass Schedule:

Reconciliation: Saturday
4:00–5:00pm and by appt.

Sat. Vigil : 5:30pm –English
Sun. 8:00am & 10:00am - English
Sun. Noon -Spanish

Weekday Mass Schedule

Mon. - 9:00 am Communion Service
Tues. 5:30 pm Mass
Wed, Thur, Fri. 9:00 am Mass



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Fifth Sunday of Lent

March 13, 2016

I consider everything as a loss
because of the supreme good of
knowing

Christ Jesus my Lord.

— *Philippians 3:8*

Baptism: Class in English in June, 1st Saturday
of the month

Please Register prior to the class.

Bautizo: Clase de bautizo en Español: Segun-
do sábado del junio.

Favor de registrarse para las clases.

BULLETIN SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

Byron W. Eckols, State Farm Agent
512--847-9400

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Marriage & Quinceañera Instruction :

Contact pastor one year prior to
suggested date.

Contacte el pastor un año antes de la fecha
sugerida.

St. Mary Finances

**St. Mary Church Weekly Contributions
February 28, 2016**

Regular Collection..... \$6,671.15

Fiscal YTD Actual	Income	Expenses
	\$6704	\$7006
Fiscal YTD Budgeted	Income	Expense
	\$7867	\$8805

Income based off of offerings and excludes monies from Parish fundraisers and other generous donations.

The Summerfest is our largest source of income every year. Did you know the Finance Council budgeted \$30,000 of income for this year's fundraiser? Please help us by donating your time, talents, selling your distributed raffle tickets, and most important, keep this event and its committee in your prayers. We are looking forward to another successful year!!



**Mass Intentions
for the Week**

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Sat. March 12 @ 5:30 pm— Mass

For the People of the Parish

Sun. March 13 @ 8:00 am—Mass

+Elaine Bergeron By the John Strobel Family

+Ben Whitten By Mary Jane Poirier

Sun. March 13 @ 10:00 am—Mass

+Aaron Sander By Gary Cutsinger

+Thomas Magner By Matt & Sandy Benavides

Sun. March 13 @ Noon —Mass

+Bill Gagnon By Maggie Villanueva

+Freyda Garcia Gayosso By Mark & Emily Gayosso

Mon. March 14 @ 9:00 am—Communion Service

Tues. March 15 @ 5:30 pm—Mass

+Helen Nassour By Fr. R.T.

The Health of Jean Steinert

Wed. March 16 @ 9:00 am—Mass

+Sheila Adams By Fr. R.T.

+Josephine Scotto By Nicholas Primavera

Thur. March 17 @ 9:00 am —Mass

+Trinidad Tijerina By Fr. R.T.

+Elizabeth & Arnold Larson By Sylvia Thompson

Fri. March 18 @ 9:00 am—Mass

For the Health of Samuel Faix By Laurie DeCarlo

+Bill Gagnon By Mary Jane Poirier

Pray for ...

Deer Creek Nursing Home Residents:

Angela Nancy Bane, Mary Camp, Suzette Davis, Fannie Drake, David Estrada, Aurora Fuentes, Betty Glisson, Imogene Hill, Marty Jeffers, Diane Jordan, Walter Martinez, Edith Sconza, Nada Sekulovich, Richard Sensat, Sheila Maureen Smith, Sal Sutera

Parishioner Requests:

Maria Rodriguez, Vicente & Maria Cruz

The 67th annual Austin Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (DCCW) Convention will be held April 11-12 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Austin. Catholic women from across the diocese are invited to come together for fellowship, keynote speakers and service. For more information, visit www.AustinDiocesanCouncilofCatholicWomen.org.

When the officials brought Jesus the woman caught in adultery he did not condemn her, but with compassion and forgiveness invited her to a new way of life. We too are beneficiaries of God's compassion and forgiveness. We too participate in God's life through our baptism. Are we in turn compelling signs of God's mercy and compassion? Are we sacraments of God's transforming love in the world? Do others see in us the hope and promise of God's Kingdom already active in our world?

Quando los oficiales llevaron a Jesús a la mujer sorprendida en adulterio, él no la condenó, sino que, con compasión y perdón la invitó a una nueva manera de vivir. Nosotros también somos beneficiarios de la compasión y el perdón de Dios. Nosotros también participamos en la vida de Dios a través de nuestro bautismo ¿Somos nosotros, en reciprocidad, signos irresistibles de la misericordia y la compasión de Dios? ¿Somos sacramentos del amor transformador de Dios en el mundo? ¿Ven los otros en nosotros la esperanza y la promesa del Reino de Dios ya activos en nuestro mundo?

DEANERY 2016 LENT PENANCE SERVICES

Good Shepherd, Johnson City 3/15

St. John, San Marcos 3/18

All Penance Services begin at 7:00 pm

Horario de servicios penitencial: 7:00 pm

With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption. We can help make things new with small, yet joyful sacrifices. The works of mercy are charitable actions by which we come to the aid of our neighbor. With continued generosity to the Ashes to Easter Lenten Mission Campaign, local missionaries are able to instruct, advise, console and comfort the poor in the mission areas they serve. Please be generous.

Con el Señor hay misericordia y una total redención. Podemos ayudar a que las cosas se renueven a través de pequeños, pero gozosos sacrificios. Las obras de misericordia son acciones caritativas por las cuales acudimos en ayuda de nuestro prójimo. Con continua generosidad hacia la Campaña Misionera De las Cenizas a la Pascua, misioneros locales son capaces de instruir, dar consejo, consolar y confortar a los pobres en las áreas misioneras en las que sirven. Por favor sea generoso.

Married couples are invited to strengthen, renew and rekindle their marriage sacrament by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on April 15-17 at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. For more information, visit www.austinme.org or contact Steve and Linda Jaramillo at (512) 667-9963 or wwmeaustin@gmail.com

St. Mary Catholic Church congratulates the Confirmation students of 2016:

Brendan Benavides	Emma Martinez
Caleb Cable	Gavin Martinez
Jacqueline Cano	Jeremiah McDaid
Patsy Conway	Michael Neff
Anthony DeCarlo	Jarod Pitcher
Valeria Garcia	Oscar Sanchez
Maria Victoria Garcia	Elias Santiago
Connor Gips	Tyler Strobel
Grabiell Gonzalez	Lindsey Walker
Laura Guerra	Cesar Esquina, Jr.
Craig Huey	David Esquina
Esteban Lopez	Manuel Esquina
Cruz Martinez	

We thank all those involved in their preparation.

Important Information:

- If you are not yet registered with the parish, please come by the office to register or pick up a form from the cry room & bring to the office at your convenience. If you have a new address or phone number please call the office to make the changes. This helps Fr. Richard get in contact with you when needed.
- This year's Summerfest is scheduled for Saturday, June 25 at the Wimberley Community Center. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year, and we are in need of a chairperson to lead it. You don't have to do it by yourself. You can partner with your spouse, a relative or friend, and we can divide responsibilities so that no one has to carry most of the load. Those who have led the Summerfests in the recent past will share their experiences with you in order to save you time and energy. If you are interested in volunteering for this position, please contact James Svetlik of the Finance Council as soon as possible at (512) 296-0381.
- El festival de verano "Summerfest" este año, se llevará a cabo el sábado 25 de junio entrante, en el Centro Comunitario de Wimberley. En este festival es cuando más recaudamos fondos bajo los esfuerzos de todos los voluntarios y del Líder que lo organiza. Esta persona puede participar con su esposo(a), parientes, o amigos; repartiendo las responsabilidades, para que la carga no sea tan pesada. Todas las personas que han sido Líderes recientemente, podrán compartir sus experiencias con usted(es) evitando demoras de tiempo y energía. Si está(n) interesado(s) para participar voluntariamente en la posición de Líder, por favor llame(n) a James Svetlik, miembro del Concilio de Finanzas, Tel. #512 296-0381.
- **Bulletin Deadline:** To get an item into the bulletin contact the office two to three weeks before your event. **Note:** the bulletin is sent to the printer on Tuesday morning.

Today's Gospel presents a classic example of God's mercy. A woman is caught in adultery. Where was the man? Both were subject to death according to the Mosaic Law. Jesus tempers justice with mercy and does not condemn the woman when no one was found sinless to cast a stone. In the Our Father we pray, "Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us." What a powerful prayer! Where have I been shown mercy when punishment was due? Do we really want God to forgive us by the same measure we forgive? How long has it been since the mercy and grace of the Sacrament of Penance has been experienced? God's boundless grace and mercy are available to us.

Calendar of Meetings/Events
March 13—March 19

Sun.	Children's Liturgy	10:00-10:35am PH
	Youth Ministry	All Day BH
	RCIA	4:00-6:00pm RH
	Bible Study	6:30-8:30pm RH
Mon.	Cenacle of Prayer	9:45am CH
	Knights of Columbus Meeting	6:00-10:00pm PH
	Trinity Prayer Group	7:00-9:00pm BH
Tues.	NO RE — Spring Break	
	Choir Rehearsal	7:00-9:00pm CH
Wed.	NO RE—Spring Break	
Thu.	Scripture Sharing	9:45-11:30am PH
	Chaplet of Divine Mercy	3:00pm CH
	Cub Scouts Meeting	6:30-8:30pm PH
Fri.	Fish Fry	5:00-8:00pm PH
	Stations of the Cross—English	6:00pm CH
	Stations of the Cross — Spanish	7:00pm CH
	Trinity Prayer Group Scripture	7:00-9:00pm RH
Sat.	Altar Server Class	9:00am–1:00pm CH
	Women's ACTS Group	9:00-11:30am RH
	Spring Clean Up	9:00am-1:00pm O
	Trinity Prayer Group Concert	5:00-11:00pm PH

BH — Badger House RH — Raphael House
 PH — Parish Hall CH — Church
 CR — Cry room AB—Admin. Building
 PL — Parking Lot WCC —Wimberley Community Center
 O — Outside

El Evangelio de hoy presenta un ejemplo clásico de la misericordia de Dios. Una mujer es sorprendida en adulterio ¿Dónde estaba el hombre? Ambos eran sujetos de pena de muerte de acuerdo a la Ley Mosaica. Jesús temple a la justicia con misericordia y no condena a la mujer cuando nadie es encontrado libre de pecado para arrojar una piedra. En el Padre Nuestro rezamos, "Perdona nuestras ofensas como también perdonamos a los que nos ofenden" ¡Qué oración tan poderosa! ¿Cuándo me han mostrado misericordia cuando merecía castigo? ¿Realmente queremos que Dios nos perdone con la misma medida con la que nosotros perdonamos? ¿Cuánto tiempo ha pasado desde que ha experimentado la gracia del Sacramento de la Penitencia? La gracia y la misericordia sin límites de Dios están disponibles para nosotros.

For assistance with utility bills, rent, Dr. visits, or medication you can contact:

St. Vincent De Paul Society at 512-847-5251

Leave a detailed voicemail and they will contact you as soon as possible.



RE classes

Tuesdays—PreK-5 6:00pm to 7:15pm
Wednesdays — 6—8 6:00pm to 7:15pm
Wednesdays — 1st and 2nd year
Confirmation Class 6:30—7:30pm

March 14-18: No RE—Spring Break
No hay clases de Educación Religiosa por la semana
de primavera—14-18 de marzo
March 22 & 23: No RE —Holy Week
No hay Educación Religiosa por Semana Santa (22 y
23 de marzo)

Religion Education Coordinator:
Minerva Martinez 512-847-1662 ext. 23



St. Mary STARS Youth Ministry

Registration is open for all students 8th grade and above for Godstock, the annual Catholic music festival at Eagles Wings Retreat Center on April 16-17. For those of you who hate to camp, accommodation is available in the dorms for an additional cost. Talk to Morag for the details!

Youth Ministry Coordinator:

Morag Sell 512-722-3696 ext. 28



Stations of the Cross

English 6:00pm,
Spanish 7:00pm

Fridays, Feb. 12 - March 18
March 25 - Youth Stations of
the Cross

3:00pm in English

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