

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00 am to 1:00pm

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November 21, 2021

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

PARISH STAFF & MINISTRIES

Pastor – Rev. Brijil Lawrence (254) 246-9997

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Deacon – Rev. Terry Timmons (254) 580-2228

Secretary/Bookkeeper – Rachel Haferkamp

Coordinator of Catechesis – Deacon Timmons

Finance Council – Charles Beseda

Sacristans – Deacon Timmons, Agnes Timmons,

Traci Pustejovsky, & Mike Bezdek

Music Ministry – Karen Bartosh & Marsha Gerik

Plant Manager – Charles Beseda (254) 749-7718

Safe Environment Champion – Jeryl Hejl

Senior Activities – Agnes Timmons

Knights of Columbus – Ernie Pustejovsky

KJT – Eugene Maroul

KJZT – Jeanette Urbanovsky



Mass Schedule

Saturday Mass – 6:00 pm

Sunday – 8:00 am

Weekday Masses – See Next Page

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:30 – 5:30 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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Saturday	Nov 20	6:00 pm	† Pavlas Family by Lil Pavlas
Sunday	Nov 21	8:00 am	Parishioners of Immaculate Heart of Mary
Monday	Nov 22	7:00 am	† Robert Nors by Dudley & Cathay Allen
Wednesday	Nov 24	6:00 pm	Mass of Thanksgiving
Saturday	Nov 27	6:00 pm	† Elsie Dvorak by John & Molly Gerik
Sunday	Nov 28	8:00 am	Parishioners of Immaculate Heart of Mary

Cross Lights: Mary Ann Pavlas and Nancy Kasberg by Cindy & Bo Psencik

Cemetery Lights: Kenneth Beene by Bernice and Kevin Beene

Sanctuary Lights: Martha Beseda by Mike & Linda Bole

Saturday – November 27

Altar Servers: Johnny Pustejovsky & Lane Hejl

Reader: Traci Pustejovsky

Usher: Bob Pustejovsky

Greeter: Agnes Timmons

Sunday – November 28

Altar Server: Clayton & Ella Wolf

Reader: Kathy Pustujovsky

Usher: Chad Kaska

Greeter: Ronda Kaska

Saturday – December 4

Altar Servers: Ryan & Allie Pustejovsky

Reader: Joanie Pustejovsky

Usher: John Blaha

Greeter: Mariann Pustejovsky

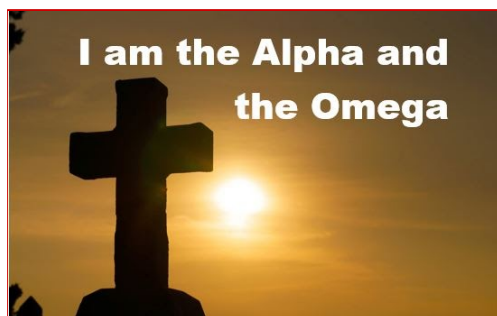
Sunday – December 5

Altar Server: Keaton & Grayson Pustejovsky

Reader: Doug Pustejovsky

Usher: Phil Pustejovsky

Greeter: Lucas Wolf Family





Please be generous in this week's special collection for the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development**. In the United States, one in eight people lives in poverty. With this collection, you support programs that address the root causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect remain in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects.

Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and those working on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at bit.ly/DioceseSpecialCollections



Thank you so much to everyone who helped in any way to provide children's gifts for **Samaritan's Purse Shoebox Christmas**. Your generous gifts helped fill 60 shoeboxes, and in addition, \$504.00 was collected to help pay for shipping. Finally, thanks to our Life Teen students and teachers who helped pack the boxes.

IHOM Lectors: The 2022 Lector workbooks are available at the back of church. Please be sure to pick up your copy.



Life Teen, our teen ministry for grades 9-12, is in need of volunteers to provide snacks (not a meal) for their meetings. If you can provide 20 snacks to be delivered to the Smid Center after Mass around 6:30 pm on Wednesdays, please sign the sheet located on the back table. Thank you in advance for your support of our teen ministry.

Thank you to everyone who supported **Abbott KJZT Family Life Society #104** and its junior division by participating in the fraternal cause **Feeding Families Across Texas**. The society was able to present Hillsboro Interfaith Ministries with a total donation of \$1,590 for the Food for Families Drive for 2021. The adult society collected \$475 and also made a \$100 donation to the drive. The juniors collected \$615 in donations. The State Office matched \$200 for the adult division and \$200 for the junior division project. Your generous support of this worthy project is greatly appreciated. May you be blessed and safe during this holiday season!

Grief Support: A grief support group meeting will be held 7:00 p.m. Thursday, November 18th at St. Joseph's Hall next to St. Mary's Catholic Church in West. This is a support group for those in the community who want to gain a better understanding of all the changes experienced in the grief process.



Christmas Flower Donations are now being received. Orders need to be in by December 5th. Envelopes located at the entrances of the church are provided for you to write your intentions and enclose the payment for the number of plants that you intend to purchase.

The cost of each plant is \$11.70. Checks should be made payable to Immaculate Heart of Mary and can be placed in the collection basket. If you have any questions, please call the office.

Adult Safe Environment Awareness Session: Adult Safe Environment Awareness Session for Adult Volunteers is required prior to serving in any Parish Ministry. Those who need to renew their certification or are new volunteers to the parish, should sign up for a session. These sessions are now only offered in person. Sunday, November 21 at Nativity of the BVM Parish Hall, Penelope, TX from 11:15 am to 2:15 pm. For more information or if you have any questions please contact Jeryl Hejl, Safe Environment Champion at (254) 707-1411 or email jeryl.hejl@yahoo.com.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Please remember to keep these individuals in your prayers: Judy Ridlehuber, Anna Kaska, Jamie Beauchamp, Bertha Nelson, G.W. Lanmon, Terry Kramolis, Peyton Ramirez, John Rizo, Gary Evans, Deanell Crawley, Martha Beseda, Billy Pavelka, Michael Pavlas, Tommy Neill, Casey Richmond Family, Larry Garcia, Johnny Krenek, Erwin Pustejovsky Sr., Jimmy Slovak, Emersyn Watson, Ronnie Marak, Diana Mynarcik, Shawn Rejcek, Sarah & John Casey, Charlie Smith, Jeryl Hejl, Linda Gerik, Nancy Isaacs, Victor Pavlas, Rose Ann Kaska and Brian Mynar.

PRAYERS FOR OUR SERVICEMEN AND WOMEN: Donovan Hill, Jeremy & Kayla Pustejovsky, Emily Pustejovsky, Brock Pustejovsky, Justin Malaer and Mark Pinkerton.

It is not necessary to be a member of the parish to be added to the list. **To have anyone added or removed, please contact Rachel Haferkamp at 254-582-3092.** Only the person requesting, or the person being prayed for can request removal from the list.



Reconciliation: Saturdays 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. Please meet Fr. Lawrence after weekend Masses to schedule on any other day during the week.

Communion to the Homebound: Please contact Fr. Lawrence or Deacon Terry or any other Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion of the Parish. You may also contact the parish office to schedule.

Anointing of the Sick: If you or someone in your family would like to receive the Sacrament of Anointing, please contact Fr. Lawrence.

Matrimony: Please contact the parish office at least 6 – 9 months prior to the wedding for initial inquiry and to begin the preparation.

RCIA: To know and discern about Catholic faith, please contact the parish office.

Funerals: Please contact the parish office to get assistance with scheduling and liturgical planning.

Baptism: Please contact the parish office at least six weeks prior to scheduling, to know about required documentation and preparation.

Parish office is open Monday - Friday, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm, with the parish secretary working from home on Tuesdays (phone line is open). Fr. Lawrence is available for pastoral emergencies (Sacrament of Anointing, Viaticum) and appointments during these or outside of parish office hours. Please contact him at (254) 246-9997 and leave a message.