

August 20, 2023 – Twentieth Sunday In Ordinary Time

St. Joseph Mass Intentions

Aug. 19, Saturday (St. John Eudes, Priest)

- 5:00 pm + Dennis W. Mikulin/Pete Vega
+ Julia Williams/Gary Williams Jayla Aguilar (B-Day)

Aug. 20, Sunday

- 8:00 am + Andrew & Brian Lysiak/Bill Ayles

Aug. 22, Tuesday (The Queenship of The Blessed Virgin Mary)

- 6:00 pm + Randy Kocurek/Fr. Tom Hanus

Aug. 24, Thursday (St. Bartholomew, Apostle)

- 8:00 am + Dennis W. Mikulin/Fr. Adrian Chishimba

Aug. 25 Friday (St. Louis, St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest)

- 8:00 am + Joseph & Bernadette Beran

Aug. 26 Saturday

- 5:00 pm + John J. & Laura Mikulin
- + Dennis W. Mikulin

Aug. 27, Sunday

- 8:00 am + Wesley Bass/Carrie Gerstnecker

Aug. 21 Judges 2:11-19 Matthew 19:16-22
Aug. 22 Judges 6:11-24a Matthew 19:23-30
Aug. 23 Judges 9:6-15 Matthew 20:1-16
Aug. 24 Revelations 21:9b-14 John 1:45-51
Aug. 25 Ruth 1:1,3-6,14b-16 Matthew 22:34-40
Aug. 26 Ruth 2:1-3,8-11 Matthew 23:1-12
Aug. 27 Isaiah 22: 19-23 Romans 11:33-36 Matthew 16: 13-20

Confessions: Saturday 4:00-4:30pm

<u>Date</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Money Counters</u>
Sat. Aug. 19	Jaime Aguilar	Will Mikulin Volunteer	Dorothy R. Volunteer	Gabriel Aguilar	
Sunday Aug. 20	Victoria Kelly	D.Wiederhold Volunteer	Mike & Gail Muzny	Tyler Muzny JW Muzny	Mike Muzny

Sat. Aug. 26	Will Mikulin	Will Mikulin Volunteer	M. Oppermann Zach Zgabay	Volunteer Volunteer	
Sunday Aug. 27	Monica Spacek	Anthony Muzny James Muzny	Tom & Patsy Simek	Alexis M. Victoria/Sophia	Tom & Patsy Simek

Holy Family Mass Intentions

Aug. 20, Sunday

- 10:00am + Herman Sims, Ricky Brewer, Reuben Goocher & Bill Gott
- + Wilbert Kalina/Billy Bownds

Aug. 23, Wednesday (St. Rose of Lima, Virgin)

- 5:30 pm Joe Milburn/W.H. Dowdy, Jr./Fr. Tom Hanus

Aug. 27, Sunday

- 10:00am + Jim Smith/Nick Hester & Charles Blankenburg

Confessions: Wednesday: 5:00-5:30pm

For Sunday Aug. 20: Attendance: 118 Collection: Regular: \$ 2847.25

Sanctuary Light: In Loving Memory of Amado & Deolinda Baca

Reflection

Our Gospel today from Matthew reminds us to trust in Him even when it seems He is not answering our prayers. God wants to lead us to the joy of heaven to spend eternity with Him. For that, we must be strong in faith and live our lives as an act of love and gratitude to Him. In other words, we must allow Him to transform us into saints. This is what the stewardship way of life is meant to do. Sometimes, that will feel painful to us. Often, it will be challenging.

Stewardship

So we must accept the difficulties that come with the stewardship way of life. Some days will be a true challenge to our trust in God. But those are the days when God is making saints of us. Let's embrace the hard days during these difficult times. The deep joy that eventually comes, the eternal reward He promises, will be so worth it. But when we embrace the stewardship way of life, letting go of a tight hold over our money, time, and talents, our lives become a grand adventure, rooted firmly and gratefully in the God Who always cares for us.

Bulletin Information: Submit by Tuesday to 979-884-3100 or stjoedb@verizon.net

www.stjosephdimeboxtx.com

www.holyfamilylex.org

For Sunday Aug. 19/20: Attendance: 85 Collection: Regular: \$ 1891.00

Sanctuary Light: In Loving Memory of Dennis W. Mikulin

Calendar of Events St. Joseph's - Dime Box

Special Prayers for the Sick: For the sick members of St. Joseph/Dime Box

community: RJ Muzny Jalane Wiederhold Caroline Malinak Louis Muzny
Rev. Msgr. Isidore Rozycki Elena Massey Josephine Schultz David Sherrill
Sue Bradford Becky Dallke John David Mikulin Oscar Slovacek Dennis Lysiak
Larry Lehmann Patricia Tarnowski Bethany Lara Archie Kubena Vicki Prentice
Evelyn Housenga Bennie & Doris Supak Jaydem Mueller Nisha George
Greg Kocurek Alvin Kucera Dwayne Muzny Kathleen Ayles Troy Weigand
Megan (Kocurek) Longshore Christine Bogler Lynnlee Kocurek Donnie Richards
Edward Beran Jerry Best Joy Treude Sue Dziobala Miears Tristen Lee
Glenn Mikulin

(May they be freed from danger, relieved of suffering, and held fast in the tender arms of Jesus, the Divine Healer!)

Flowers: The beautiful fall arrangement in front of the altar is in memory of Dennis W. Mikulin from Charlotte Mikulin family.

Attention Parents: Our CCD classes will begin Sept. 11th at 9:00am. A sign-up sheet is in the cry room. Please fill out your child's information on the sign-up sheet. Any questions please contact Ida Schuman 979-542-6161

Second Collection: A second collection will be taken this weekend, Aug. 19th & 20th for the Glenmary Sisters. **Please make checks out to St. Joseph Catholic Church.** Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

The GLENMARY SISTERS: Were founded in 1941 by Father William Howard Bishop and have been serving as living examples of Christ's love in action in the rural, small town mission areas of America for over 60 years. Many Americans do not realize the tremendous amount of spiritual and material poverty that exists right here in the U.S. The Glenmary Sisters minister to all God's people regardless of their race, creed or lifestyle through compassionate outreach and ecumenical efforts. Barbara O'Nan, will be at our parish the weekend of August 19th & 20th, to tell us more about their ministry. She will speak at each Mass throughout the weekend. If you would like to learn more about the Glenmary Sisters, please visit their web site at www.glenmarysisters.org or follow them on social media.

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Catholic Charities of Central Texas: Catholic Charities of Central Texas seeks to help the most vulnerable in our communities to thrive in their God-given gifts and dignity. Next weekend August 26th & 27th is Catholic Charities Weekend throughout the Diocese of Austin, and continues its commitment to serve anyone in need across all 25 counties in our Diocese. Check out our social media, and visit www.ccctx.org next weekend to learn how you can become part of Catholic Charities' mission!

RCIA: If anyone is interested in becoming a Catholic, please call the office to schedule an appointment with Father Joy at 979-884-3100.

New Email Address: Our church office has a new email address. Anyone needing to send information to us please start using the new one immediately. The address is...
office@stjoedb.org

Annual Fundraiser: The Dime Box VFD will have their annual Labor Day Picnic on Sept. 3rd at the Diamond I venue. BBQ at the pit will be available at 7:00am Music by Michael Craig starting at noon, Live auction at 3:00pm, Kids activity, Bingo and Country Store. Raffle tickets on sale now for \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00 Please support our local fire department

Up Coming Events

Aug. 27, 2023 - St. Mary's Catholic Church Ellinger, Tx.

Sept. 3, 2023 – St. John the Baptist Catholic Church Fayetteville, Tx.

(SEE BULLETIN BOARD FOR INFO)

Calendar of Events Holy Family - Lexington

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Community: Caleb Schmidt Karla Blaine Paul Goocher Phillip Sims
Brian Koehler Keith Sims Eleanor Gonzales Laura Casco Tommy Adams
Sean Sullivan Linda Goocher Santos Gonzales KC Hudson Harper Pittman
Eric Anthony Martinez Mary Best Juanita Greene Donna Brewer Virginia Schmidt
Blake Gibson Avery Wright Mary Truex Barbara Sanders Hart Oshman
J.B. Freeman Jeff Justice David Sherrill Nisha George Billy Paul Richards
William Weiser

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CCD News: CCD registration for new students grades K-10th is today, Aug. 20th after Mass. Kindergarten students, and any new students to our program, will need to fill out a registration form. Returning students only need to update the form if any information has changed. A \$10 per child, or \$20 per family fee is greatly appreciated but not mandatory. Adults interested in taking RCIA classes can contact Kristen Bryan after Mass or via email at kris10bryan@gmail.com

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2023 Church Cleaning Schedule (Clean Any Day the Week Of)

Speier Aug. 21 – Aug. 26
Kubicek Aug. 28 – Sept. 2
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