

ST. ANN'S

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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St. Ann's Parish Family is a dynamic Catholic community in Canyon, Texas that serves God and neighbor by knowing and sharing our gifts through Christ-centered liturgy, faith formation, spirituality, and intentional togetherness in the sacramental life.

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANN'S MARCH 13 - 19

(Any changes to this schedule will be announced via Flocknote)

Monday, March 13

Tuesday, March 14

1:00 p.m. St. Martha's Circle Meeting
5:30 p.m. Liturgy of the Word with Deacon

Wednesday, March 15

No Daily Mass
No Lenten Confessions
No Youth Night
No RCIA

Thursday, March 16

9:00 a.m. Mom's Group
5:30 p.m. Liturgy of the Word with Deacon

Friday, March 17

1:00 p.m. No Daily Mass
55+ Potluck & Bingo

Saturday, March 18

3:00 - 4:30 p.m. Extended Lenten Confessions
5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist
(For †Ron Russell)

Sunday, March 19

9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
(For the People of God)
10:15 a.m. Faith Formation
11:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
(For †Vincent Gerber)

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 20	Knights of Columbus Meeting
March 21	Ladies' Quilting Ministry
March 22	Youth Night
March 22	RCIA
March 22	Lenten Confessions
March 23	Mom's Group
March 23	Choir Practice in the Church
March 23	Pastoral Council Meeting
March 26	Pastor's Class
March 28	Ladies' Board Meeting
March 29	Youth Night
March 29	RCIA
March 29	Lenten Confessions
March 29	Speaker Series
March 30	Spiritual Book Club Discussion
March 30	Mom's Group
March 30	Choir Practice in the Church



Ciao! I will be away from the parish March 9 through March 20. St. Ann's weekend Masses will be covered by Fr. Jim Schmitmeyer, retired Amarillo diocesan priest, on March 11-12, and Fr. Joseph Uecker of Unbound International on March 18-19. Call the parish office if you have any questions or needs.

Welcome to St. Ann's, Fr. Jim Schmitmeyer! Although retired from assigned ministry, Fr. Jim is still very active in a variety of areas such as teaching creative writing in the prison in Childress, guiding our diocesan Rural Life Ministry, speaking at homiletic and priest conferences around the country, and tending to his ranchito near Quitaque. Fr. Jim originally hails from the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. He fell in love with the high plains and canyons of the Texas Panhandle and sought to transfer here some years ago. Please make him feel welcome and thank him for being willing to cover for priests around the diocese as they/we venture away for a bit of rest, recreation, retreat, and/or reaching out to family and friends at important moments of their lives. Thank you!

Fr. Scott

Thanks

TO EVERYONE WHO
HELPED WITH THIS
YEARS AMAZING
CZECH SAUSAGE DINNER!



Winner of the 50/50 Drawing:
Jeanne Moeder!
Congratulations!

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE - Mar. 4-5

Cash/Checks: \$9,774.87
Online: \$10,075.50
Weekly Total: \$19,850.37
Maintenance Fund: \$3,362.00

Thank you for your trust in God's provision!

GOAL: \$5 Million

Total Pledged: \$3,848,718.76

Pledged Households: 320

Building Fund Balance: \$2,514,379.42



TOTAL NEEDED TO BEGIN CONSTRUCTION:

50% = \$2,500,000

CHOIR PRACTICE

Are you interested in singing with the choir at any Holy Week services? Anyone 14 years of age or older is welcome to join, and those 13 years of age and younger may attend if accompanied by a parent or older sibling.

Practices for Holy Thursday and Good Friday are on Thursday, March 23rd at 6:30 p.m. in the church. We will practice for the Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday on Thursday, March 30th at 6:30 p.m. in the church, concluding with a run through of all the Holy Week music plans. Please contact Elizabeth McKee at emckee@stannsofcanyon.org for more information.

The next Baptism preparation session is scheduled for Tuesday, March 28th, at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall. **You must pre-register for this class to ensure your spot!** This session is for those who are planning to have a son or daughter baptized in the next few months and those who have

been invited to serve as a godparent. To register, please contact Adrian Johnson at 655-3302 or ajohnson@stannsofcanyon.org.



Quick Catholic Questions With Fr. Mike (and Deacon Joe)

Apr. 2 - "What You Should Know About Purgatory"
Mar. 19 - "Confessing the Same Sins Over and Over Again"
Mar. 22 & Apr. 16 - "Will My Pet Be in Heaven"

This class meets on Sundays at 10:15 a.m. in the Adult Ed room and Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. in Meeting Room B (across from the Faith Formation Office).

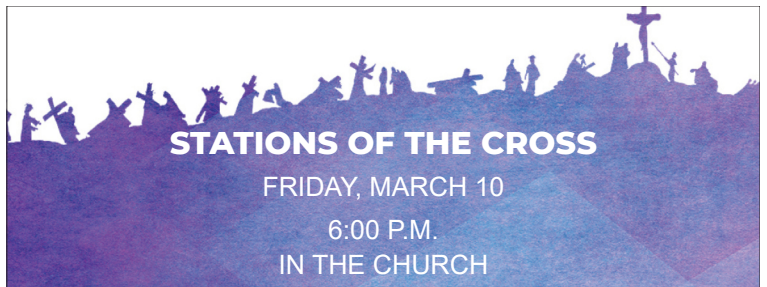
Pastor's Class

March 26, 2023

Join us during the Faith Formation hour on the last Sunday of the month for our monthly Pastor's Class!

Lenten Ideas, cont. (by Marcel LeJeune)

21. Gain an indulgence every week.
22. Start a new monthly donation to a great ministry / apostolate that you have never donated to before.
23. Offer daily prayers for your pastor and/or Bishop. Let them know what you did at Easter.
24. Give up spending for all of Lent.
25. Fast from your favorite meal every day.
26. Spend an hour a day reading Catholic books.
27. Invite someone who has few friends to lunch or coffee. Do this every week.
28. Surprise someone in your neighborhood with a gift of flowers, a meal, basket of goodies, etc.
29. Make bags of food, water, socks, etc. for others and hand them out whenever you see a person in need.
30. Get 8 hours of sleep every night.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FRIDAY, MARCH 10
6:00 P.M.
IN THE CHURCH



Fish Fry

St. Ann's Youth and Knights of Columbus

Friday
March 24
at St. Ann's Parish Hall
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

\$15 - Adults
\$6 - Children (5-12yrs)

Faith Formation Outreach

Our 8th grade FF class will be going on a field trip during the regular FF hour today Sunday, March 26. Students will be serving the homeless in downtown Amarillo. Students who plan to participate need to attend Mass on Saturday evening or at 9 a.m. on Sunday as we will be leaving St. Ann's at 10:20 a.m. and not returning until 12:30 p.m. Participating students must also have turned in a Youth Liability Form. Contact Adrian Johnson at ajohnson@stannsofcanyon.org or Angela Asbill at aasbill@stannsofcanyon.org with any questions.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Spring Break Gathering: St. Ann's is hosting a gathering for all youth in our diocese on March 18th from 3-8 p.m. The gathering includes praise and worship music, games, fellowship, Mass and a hamburger cookout. Cost is \$5 per student. Students can RSVP by texting 806-726-7758.

Stuebenville Florida will be July 12-18 for students entering 9th grade and above this fall. Cost is \$350 and includes most meals, hotel, travel and cost of the conference. Registration deadline is March 31st and requires a \$100 non-refundable deposit. Students can pick up a registration packet at youth on Wednesday nights or you may email Angela Asbill at aasbill@stannsofcanyon.org.

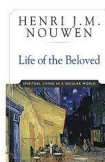
Internal vs. External Motivation: Parenting Edition!

Raising 3.0 kids in a 2.0 world.

Speaker: Stacy Wilhelm
March 29, 2023

6:30 p.m.: Refreshments 7:00 p.m.: Presentation

Stacy Wilhelm is a successful author, mother of 3, wife of one, and teacher of many. She graduated from Texas Tech University with a Bachelor's in Journalism and now writes novels and teaches at HCCA. Stacy is also a #1 best-selling author who writes as Staci Stallings.



New Book! Spiritual Book Club *Life of the Beloved* by Henri Nouwen

Please read the book in its entirety and join us for its discussion on **March 30 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Adult Education Room. Please purchase your own book, but if you can't, we have a few copies in the parish office!



You are Invited!

March 20, 2023 at 4:00 p.m.

Bishop Patrick J. Zurek will celebrate the 25th anniversary of his ordination as bishop with a Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral, 1200 S. Washington.

myUCD App Start Guide

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Download The App From The App Store or Google Play

Available on the
App Store



- With your smart phone touch the App Store icon for your type of phone (Apple Store -or- Google Play) then search for: 'Universal Church Directory'

- The App is called *myUCD*

- Click on the "GET" -or- "INSTALL" button

- When the App has finished installing, click "OPEN"

GET IT ON
Google Play



2

Enter Your Family's UNIQUE IDENTIFIER

- A **Unique Identifier** was sent to the heads-of-household whose email was listed.

**If you did not receive an email please see your church administrator*

- Enter unique Identifier

- Click on the gray "Download My Church Directory" button (there may be a few seconds delay)

3

Begin Using Your Church App Features

- Video link
- Email the church
- Call the church
- Church announcements
- Calendar of events
- Online giving

- Link to Facebook, Twitter, Instagram

- Staff contacts

- YouVersion Bible App

- Directory of all members

**Some features may -or- may not be available for your church*

myUCD Desktop Directory

1. Go to **directory.ucdir.com**

2. Enter unique identifier and hit **GO**

3. Prompts will appear to create your own Username & Password.

4. Click on '**CREATE ACCOUNT**'