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SAINT HYACINTH CHURCH

Diocese of
Amarillo

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THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 24, 2010



St. Hyacinth (1257)

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Adult Education

Meets on Sunday mornings from 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. or Tuesday evening from 7:00 p.m. to 8:15 p.m. from September—May. Other opportunities are announced in the bulletin.

Religious Education

First grade through high school
Meets on Sunday mornings from 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. from September—May. **Register in the office.**

Adult Bible Study

Wednesday evening Call Aline Stocker at 374-6673 for more information.



Office Hours

Monday through Thursday
8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.
Friday: 8:30 a.m.—3:30 p.m.

Saturday and Sunday
Closed

Sacraments

Reconciliation -
4:00 p.m.—4:45 p.m.
Saturday or by appointment

Baptism -
Call office for appointment

Weddings -
Make Appt. with Priest
6 months prior to marriage

Masses -
Check schedule below

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday 9:00 a.m.—10:00 p.m.

Parish Membership

Being officially registered in a parish is very important to every Catholic. If moving, or making any change of address or phone number, please contact the church office.

Bulletin Deadline

Tuesday — 4:30 p.m.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday	01/25	5:00 PM	Kelso Family by Msgr. Ray
Tuesday	01/26	5:00 PM	Kelso Family by Msgr. Ray
Wednesday	01/27	5:00 PM	Kelso Family by Msgr. Ray
Thursday	01/28	5:00 PM	[†] Special Intentions by Msgr. Ray
Friday	01/29	5:00 PM	NO MASS
Saturday	01/30	5:00 PM	For the Parish
Sunday	01/31	8:00 AM	Special Intentions by Winnie Sweatt
		11:00 AM	[†] Bob Vogel by Lorraine Vogel

Continue to Pray for: Curtis Anderson, Louis Baumhardt, Barbara & Jim Berry, Steve Berry, Clay Burney, Dorothy Burns, Betty Byrd, Nicky & Victor Cordova, **Carmen Crosier, Msgr. Raymond Crosier,** L. V. Dominguez, Darrell Duncan, Bob Forton, Alfred Garcia, Adam Gonzales, D. D. Homen, Goldie Hyland, Jane Judd, David Keller, B.B. Lane, Tim Marsh, Dorothy Massie, Daniel Minahan, Sue Moore, Herbert Morales, Patricia Nielsen, Carla Norberg, Emma O'Dell, Eva Pierce, Eran Ramos, Emily Schwertner, John D. Shelton, Winnie Sweatt, Geneva Tillman and Cathy Zoller.

Brothers and sisters, we are gathered here today to give thanks and praise to God as members of Christ's mystical body. We are nourished by God's word, just as the people of Israel were in today's first reading. We are fed at the table of the Eucharist and sent out to continue Jesus' mission to bring glad tidings to the poor. Let our prayer today be that God will enable us to fulfill God's holy work in the hearing of all whom we meet this week.



St. Hyacinth invites you to come to Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

ADORER NEEDED THURSDAY EVENINGS FROM 6:00—7:00 P.M. Please contact the office at 358-1351 if you are willing to spend one hour a week with our Lord.

Wanted: Couples Interested in Their Marriages

Teams of Our Lady (TOOL) is a group of 5-7 couples that meet monthly to share a meal, prayer, & study topics that have marriage, family & a spiritual focus. The couples form a unit that is supportive & caring. In addition to the monthly meeting there are opportunities for a yearly retreat & family prayer. If you are interested in enriching your marriage, come & meet other couples that are already involved in a Team. An information meeting will be held on Friday, January 29th 6:30 p.m. at 3412 S. Milam, Amarillo. For more information please contact Tim & Kim Holescher at 355-3504 kimholescher@yahoo.com or Ron and Nancy Railsback at 640-4399 nancyrailsback@gmail.com. A meal will be served. Please RSVP.

Holy Father establishes "Year for Priests"

Pope Benedict announced a special "Year for Priests" which will begin June 19, 2009, on the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and conclude with an international gathering of priests with the Holy Father in Rome on June 19, 2010. The pope called for the year to coincide with the 150th anniversary of the death of St. John Vianney, who was famed for his priestly ministry.

AROUND AMARILLO

ENGAGED ENCOUNTER

The first Engaged Encounter retreat of 2010 is scheduled in Amarillo on Friday, February 19-21. Cost of the retreat is \$160. Contact Jerry or Agnes Ballard in Amarillo at 353-0907 for more information.

St. Anne's Sewing Circle of St. Mary's

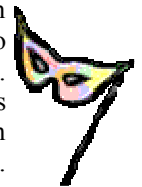
Bring a project and join us! Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center and St. Anne's Sewing Circle of St. Mary's Catholic Church of Amarillo will be hosting a sewing retreat on Wednesday, February 3, 2010—Friday, February 5, 2010. This retreat is designed for women of faith who enjoy the art of needlework, sewing, quilting, crafts, or scrap booking combined with a daily conference and fellowship. Registration cost before Jan. 28, 2010 is \$165.00/single room; \$125.00/double room and \$85.00 commuter. Prices increase \$45.00 after January 28. Registration forms are on the bulletin board.

Catholic Campus Ministry Auction, Steak Dinner, and Dance Fundraiser

on Saturday, February 6, 2010 from 6:00 p.m.—midnight. The auction will be held at St. Thomas Catholic Church in Amarillo, the tickets will be \$25 per person if bought in advance, however tickets will be \$35 per person at the door. Help support our ministry to the students at WTAMU and AC. To purchase a ticket, or make a donation to our silent and/or live auction please call the Catholic Student Center at 655-4345.

St. Mary's School

is hosting the annual Mardi Gras celebration on February 6, 6:30 p.m. in the gym. The evening includes hors d'oeuvres, dancing, donation bar, raffle and a live auction of classroom projects. This is a fun adult evening to celebrate before Lent. Cost: \$25 per person. Must be age 21 and older to attend. Tickets on sale at the school (376-9112) or church office (376-7204). All proceeds benefit St. Mary's School.



Bovina Sausage Dinner

German Sausage and all the trimmings will be served Sunday, February 7 during the annual German Sausage dinner from 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the parish hall on Third Street. Adults: \$8.00 and \$4.00 for children under six. Sausage sold the day of the dinner.

Annual Sausage Dinner

St. Joseph's Church of Stratford, TX will hosts its Annual Sausage Dinner, February 14th at Stratford ISD High School Cafeteria 11:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

2009 Financial statements have been mailed to parishioners contributing \$250.00 or more. If you do not receive yours, please call the office at 358-1351. Anyone may request a statement showing your 2009 contributions by calling the office.



Offerings: January 17

Sunday Offering	\$3,278.42
Children's Offering	21.05
Votive	35.19
Second Collection-Haiti Earthquake victims	1,252.47
Capital Improvement	137.00
Scholarship Fund	30.00
TOTAL	\$4,754.13

Scripture Readings for January 31

First Reading: Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19
Psalm: 71:1-6, 15, 17
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13 or 13:4-13
Gospel: Luke 4:21-30

Friday, January 22, was the date for the 37th annual March for Life in Washington, DC, to commemorate the 1973 Roe v. Wade US Supreme Court decision that has led to more than 50 million abortions and contributed to the disregard of the Sanctity of Life in the laws of our country and the hearts of its people. Please pray that this March may be a witness to the goodness and wisdom of a Culture of Life.



SECOND COLLECTIONS FOR JANUARY AND FEBRUARY

January 24-Scholarship Fund
 February 7-Local Charities
 February 14-Capital Improvements
 February 21-WT and AC Campus ministries



The Senior Citizen's monthly pot luck luncheon is held on the last Wednesday of each month at noon. Please join us on Wednesday, January 27, 2010.

Rachel's Corner

In the end, only half of me had survived and my baby had died. The emotional pain was . . . enormous! DDD-1

Next Rachel's Vineyard Retreat is February 5, 6, & 7th After Abortion Care/Healing call Christina at 679-3370.

WOMEN'S CLUB

St. Faustina Circle meets the second Thursday evening each month at 7:00 p.m. in the small social hall. **Next meeting will be February 11th.** Please call the office for more information.



Prayer for the Gracious Holy Spirit, we come before you as the Church of the Diocese of Amarillo to ask your aid in our preparation for the Diocesan Assembly.

We are overjoyed to be able to honor the accomplishments of the past and all those who established and preserved our Faith in the High Plains. The great sacrifices that were made for the Church to flourish in this area are the foundation of our endeavor today to unite all the Catholics of the diocese to live, work, worship, and grow as one. As we release all past hurts and misunderstandings of the years behind, we look forward together to be able to assess our needs and to create a vision for the future of the Church in our beloved diocese. We beg for your inspiration, O Spirit of the Living God, and we ask our Blessed Lady of Guadalupe and St. Laurence to intercede for this purpose to live Communion and Unity with all the races and cultures with which we are so blessed. With gratitude, we ask this in the name of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen

ACTS

Retreats for men, women and teens

The retreat begins on Thursday evening and concludes on Sunday at St. Mary's with the noon Mass (adults) or the 6 P.M. Mass (teens), followed by food and fellowship. The retreats are held at the DeFalco Retreat Center. Make plans now to have your SPIRIT RENEWED and your FAITH STRENGTHENED!!

DATES FOR UPCOMING RETREATS

Women's Retreat February 11-14, 2010

For registration information or questions contact Kim Boyd at 381-9916.

Would you like to support one of our seminarians by sending an occasional letter or card? We have two young men from St. Hyacinth that would love to hear from you.

Nathan Kennedy	Scott Schwind
Conception Seminary	Assumption Seminary
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Conception, MO	San Antonio, TX 78228-5196
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Birthday: August 11	Birthday: July 24

St. Mary's Catholic Church cordially invites you and your guests to attend a special concert dedicating our new Ruffatti combination pipe organ on Sunday, January 24 at 2:00 p.m. The concert is free and the public is welcome and invited to attend. Dr. Bradley Welch is the featured guest artist.