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# SAINT HYACINTH CHURCH

Diocese of  
Amarillo

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### Adult Education

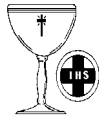
Meets on Sunday mornings from 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. from September—May. Other opportunities are announced in the bulletin.

### 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.



## TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 30, 2009



St. Hyacinth (1257)

### 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.—9:00 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

<b>Monday</b>	<b>08/31</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>	Gingras Family by Msgr. Ray
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>09/01</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>	For the Family of Arlene Pool
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>09/02</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>	Gingras Family by Msgr. Ray
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>09/03</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>	Gingras Family by Msgr. Ray
<b>Friday</b>	<b>09/04</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>FIRST FRIDAY MASS</b> St. Anthony's Trust & Saints Club Members
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>09/05</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>	+Ruthmary Crosier by Wendy Marsh
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>09/06</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	For the Parish
		<b>11:00 AM</b>	+Ruthmary Crosier by Wendy Marsh

**Continue to Pray for:** Curtis Anderson, Louis Baumhardt, Barbara & Jim Berry, Steve Berry, Clay Burney, Dorothy Burns, Betty Byrd, **Carmen Crosier, Msgr. Raymond Crosier**, Sylvia Dollins, L. V. Dominguez, Darrell Duncan, Bob Forton, Alfred Garcia, Adam Gonzales, D. D. Homen, Goldie Hyland, Isabel Isch, Jane Judd, David Keller, B.B. Lane, Wendy Marsh, Dorothy Massie, Rhonda McNeal, Daniel Minahan, Sue Moore, Herbert Morales, Patricia Nielsen, Carla Norberg, Emma O'Dell, Carol Patterson, Halton Pecoraro, Eva Pierce, Eran Ramos, Susie Ramos, Emily Schwertner, John D. Shelton, Winnie Sweatt, Bernadette Teichmann, and Cathy Zoller.

The religious leaders criticized some of the Jesus' disciples claiming that they did not wash their hands before eating. The ritual was intended to give special care to food offered to God as opposed to regular or common food of the general population. Jesus pointed out to these leaders that they had lost sight of the purpose of the law and had become totally consumed by following the law for the sake of following the law. He continued making his point by explaining that nothing that goes into a person can make that person evil. It is what comes from the person, specifically what is in his/her heart that makes the person sinful.

Amarillo Right to Life needs volunteers for the pro-life booth at the Tri State Fair, September 18- 26. We provide free fair passes. Volunteers are asked to take a two-hour shift sometime between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m. Have fun and educate our community on the sanctity of life. Call Mary Jo Monroe (806) 672-9718 or Gay Hendrix (806) 584-6020 to schedule a convenient time.

**LEARN ABOUT CATHOLICISM**

\*Are you married to a Catholic and attend Mass but just don't know what the next step is to become a Catholic?  
 \*Are you un-baptized but recognize a need for spirituality in your life?  
 \*Are you baptized in another faith, but want to learn about Catholicism?  
 \*Would you like to be Catholic? Do you know anyone who fits these criteria? Then come to "RCIA CLASSES".  
**Contact Lori Greer at 358-1351 for more information. Classes started Sunday, August 23rd at 9:30 a.m. in the R.C.I.A. Room.**

Please keep our seminarians in your prayers as they prepare to begin another year of formation on their journey to become a Diocesan Priest. One of our parishioners, Nathan Kennedy begins his journey this fall and Scott Schwind continues his studies.



**ICE CREAM SOCIAL SATURDAY NIGHT.** They will have sandwiches for sale. We will draw for the \$600 VISA gift card at this event. Join us for a fun evening.

**AROUND AMARILLO**

**St. Ann's Nursing Home Fourth Annual Benefit Dinner**

Sunday, September 27  
 11:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.  
 at St. Theresa's Parish Hall  
 More information coming.

**Holy Cross Mustang Roundup**

7 Day Eastern Carnival Caribbean Cruise for 2  
 Join us Saturday, September 26<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm to midnight at the St. Thomas parish hall for a delicious dinner served up by the Big Texan and great dancing with Young Country. Watch the names get pulled in a reverse raffle to win a Carnival Cruise for two to the Eastern Caribbean (airfare included). Cost is \$75 a couple and can be purchased through any Holy Cross student, Lori Greer or the school (355-9637).



**ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES**

Join us Sunday's from 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. or Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. to start a great journey as we study "The Teaching of Jesus Christ" by Father John Corapi. Fr. Corapi takes us on a great journey through the Catechism of the Catholic Church in a thoughtful, entertaining, and no-holds-barred manner. Classes start Sunday, September 13th in the small social hall. There is a sign up sheet on the back bulletin board to indicate which class you will attend.

**"Heart of Italy"**

**An Eight Day Choir Pilgrimage  
 Rome~Vatican City~Assisi**

- \*Tour of Christian Rome
- \*Tour of the Vatican Museums; Sistine Chapel; St. Peter's Basilica
- \*Papal Audience
- \*Solemn Mass at St. Peter's Basilica
- \*Visit the Sites of St. Francis
- \*Tour of the Catacombs & Appian Way

Brochures are available for anyone considering making the trip. You will need a passport. If you are interested or want more information, please see Cindy Good or Sharon Stephens. More details coming in the next few weeks.



**SECOND COLLECTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER**

- August 30-Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center
- September 6-Local Charities
- September 13-Capital Improvement Fund
- September 20-Catholic Family Services

# LITURGICAL MINISTERS

THIS MONTH'S SCHEDULE FOR READERS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND ALTAR SERVERS WAS MAILED.

## Offerings: August 23

Sunday Offering	\$3,873.55
Children's Offering	19.30
Votive	29.50
Second Collection-Scholarship Fund	241.37
Capital Improvements	10.00
TOTAL	\$4,173.72

## Scripture Readings for September 6

**First Reading:** Isaiah 35:4-7a  
**Psalms:** 146:7-10  
**Second Reading:** James 2:1-5  
**Gospel:** Mark 7:31-37

## WELCOME HOME 2nd Lt. Hannon, Joseph

Joseph serving with the Texas Army National Guard arrived in Amarillo on Thursday, August 20th. He has served a year throughout Iraq. He has received a Bronze Star and Combat Action Badge awards for his service. He is married to Amanda Hannon who ushers at the 11:00 a.m. Mass.



## 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 September 10th.** Please call the office for more information.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION

Registration for children's religious education and sacramental preparation in the fall will continue the weekend of August 29th & 30th. You can register after each Mass in the back hallway. Both new and returning families need to register to be enrolled. **Classes begin Sunday, September 13th.** To help cover the cost of materials each family is asked to contribute \$25.00 for the first child and \$10.00 for each additional child.

New students in first or second grade must also provide a baptismal certificate. We offer classes for all students in grades 1 through 12. Please call the office (358-1351) with any questions.

If you miss registering your child, please come by the office to register.



If you've ever thought about joining the choir—NOW IS THE TIME TO JOIN. We love seeing new faces and hearing new voices and welcome you to be a part of the family here at St. Hyacinth. The Lord loves listening to the praises of His people. To sign up for more information, please contact Cindy Good, our organist.

The Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center is starting preparations for our Women's Christmas Luncheon. We are in need of nice new items for our silent auction and special items to

give away for our raffle. If you have any items you would like to donate for this event, please bring them to the retreat center or call Janet Brown at 806-383-1811. Thank you for your support of the retreat center.



The Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center is preparing for the 6th Annual Wine Raffle. We are currently in need of wine donations from individuals, as well as, wineries. Donations of single bottles, whole cases, or anything in between will be gladly accepted and appreciated. The wine raffle is a major fundraising event that helps us meet our financial needs. When you make a donation of wine to the retreat center, you are helping to support our mission of providing a quiet place set apart for Spiritual and Personal Growth. For more information, please contact Robert or Janet at 383-1811.



The Senior Citizen's monthly pot luck luncheon is the last Wednesday of the month at noon. Join us September 30th for food and fellowship.

**ALL YOU CAN EAT BUFFET!**



Thank you for participating in the Diocese of Amarillo survey.