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The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

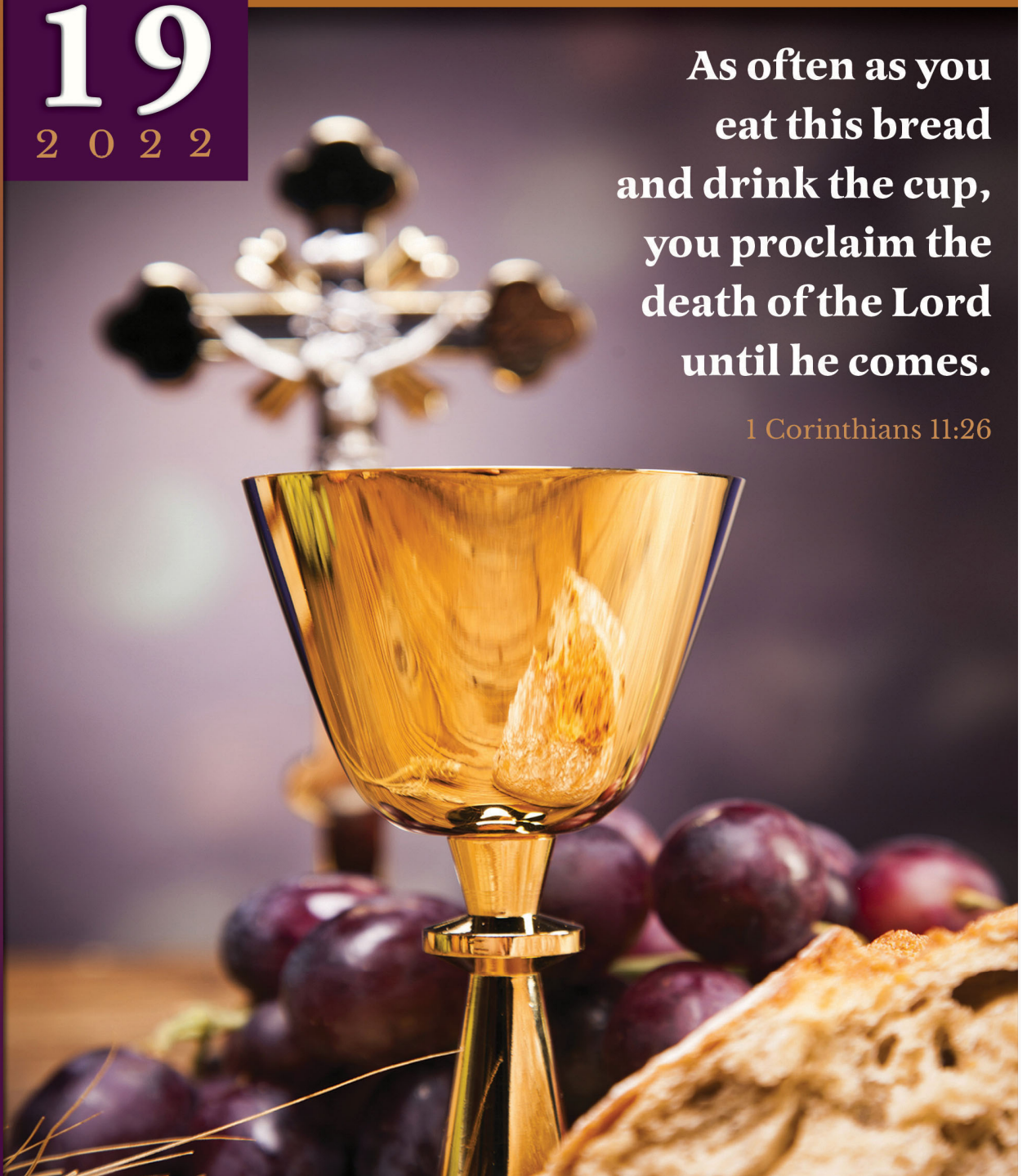
JUNE

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2022

**As often as you
eat this bread
and drink the cup,
you proclaim the
death of the Lord
until he comes.**

1 Corinthians 11:26



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Office Hours:

Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Mass Schedule:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 7:00 am
Tuesdays & Thursdays: 5:30 pm
Saturday: 8:00 am & 5:30 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am, 10:30 am & 12:00 pm

Sacrament of Confession/Reconciliation:

Tuesday & Thursday: 4:45 pm - 5:15 pm
Saturday: 4:45 pm - 5:15 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am & 12:00 pm

Sacrament of Baptism:

Call the parish office at least six weeks in advance

Sacrament of Marriage:

Call the parish office at least six months in advance.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, June 20
7:00 am George Martinez Rocha (d) - Parish
Tuesday, June 21
5:30 pm Kelly Clare (d) - Shirley McDonald
Wednesday, June 22
7:00 am In Thanksgiving V.S.I.
Thursday, June 23
5:30 pm Rosa Becnel's Birthday- Family
Friday, June 24
7:00 am Stella Salazar (d) - Her Children
Saturday, June 25
8:00 am Special Intention- Maria Brooks
5:30 pm Our Lady of Grace Parishioners
Sunday, June 26
8:30 am Fr. Richard Johnson,CSsR (d)
- Marilyn Johnson
10:30 am In Thanksgiving - Dora Urrutia
12:00 pm Pablos Zeballos (d) - Tom & Pam Mann

MASS & CONFESSION SCHEDULE*

Monday, June 20
Mass 7:00 am Fr. Jorge
Tuesday, June 21
Confessions 4:45 pm Fr. Joseph
Mass 5:30 pm Fr. Joseph
Wednesday, June 22
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Mass 5:30 pm Fr. Joseph
Friday, June 24
Mass 7:00 am Fr. Joseph
Saturday, June 25
Mass 8:00 am Fr. Joseph
Confessions 4:30 pm Fr. Joseph
Mass 5:30 pm Fr. Joseph
Sunday, June 26
Mass 8:30 am Fr. Joseph
Confessions 8:30am Fr. Dennis
Mass 10:30 am Fr. Jim Schellenberg, SM
Confessions 10:30am Fr. Joseph
Mass 12:00 pm Fr. Joseph
Confessions 12:15 pm Fr. Jorge

For I have chosen him,

so that he will direct his children...

to keep the way of the Lord.

Genesis 18:19



Happy Father's Day

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Eugenio B., Mary Blake, Rosa Becnel, Michael Castro, Juliana Cavazos, Chris Chumney, David Davis, Nina DeLaGarza, John Deleon, Kate DeWein, Mary Elizabeth Donovan, Angela Fitzner, Deacon Frank Gallardo, Vangie Gallardo, Giovanni Garza, Eric Hawbecker, Josephine Janczar, Markus Klink, Joann Lamb, Kathy McCoy, Sally McDuffee, George Perez, Rina Pollack, Carlos Saucedo, Edward Jacob Sciantarelli, Jim Sciantarelli, Laurie Seligman, Jerry SESCO, Berta Smeal, Carolyn Smith, Luciano Steve Soto, Patrick Vallejo, Lisa Weissler.

Prayer list requests can be made by calling the Office at 210-734-7285.

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



TAKEN, BLESSED, BROKEN, SHARED

We do it so often, we could take it for granted. Yet, the mystery of the Eucharist, our participation in, reception of, and being sent to live as Christ's Body and Blood is a gift beyond measure. In the desert with the crowd and on the night of the Last Supper, Jesus took bread, gave thanks, said a prayer of blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to those who hungered for physical and spiritual nourishment. Scripture scholars and theologians often remind us that we are to repeat Jesus' actions of taking, blessing, breaking, and giving—with our lives, resources, and gifts—so that others may know the love of Christ. As Eucharistic people, we are meant to be changed, to become more like the One whom we receive.

Notice that Jesus sent his disciples to give the crowd the food they needed. Jesus could have done this alone. We could say he didn't need the disciples to participate in the feeding of the great crowd. But Jesus did not act alone then, and Christ relies on us now, to feed those who hunger and thirst physically, spiritually, and emotionally. When we grow weary and want nothing more than to satisfy our selfish and self-centered impulses, it is good for us to remember who we are and whose we are. It is crucial that we hear in the depths of our hearts, "Give them some food yourselves," and be ready to do so. On this solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, let us celebrate Christ's living presence with and for us and recognize our call to share that presence with others.

Today's Readings: Gn 14:18–20; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; 1 Cor 11:23–26; Lk 9:11b–17

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1 Corinthians 11:26

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday:** 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Ps 60:3-5, 12-13; Mt 7:1-5
- Tuesday** 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Ps 48:2-4, 10-11; Mt 7:6, 12-14
- Wednesday:** 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Ps 119:33-37, 40; Mt 7:15-20
- Thursday:** Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17 Day: Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3, 13-15; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80
- Friday:** Ez 34:11-16; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7
- Saturday:** Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Ps 74:1b-7, 20-21; Lk 2:41-51
- Sunday:** 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11; Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62



The Altar flowers this weekend are in loving memory of Fred Diaz from The Family

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Melchizedek brought out bread and wine and blessed Abram (Genesis 14:18-20).

Psalm — You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek (Psalm 110).

Second Reading — Paul gives his description of the institution of the Eucharist (1 Corinthians 11:23-26).

Gospel — Jesus feeds the crowd with five loaves and two fish (Luke 9:11b-17).

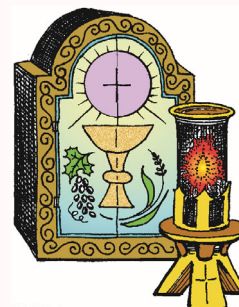
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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday:** The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ; Father's Day; Juneteenth
- Monday:** Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time
- Tuesday:** St. Aloysius Gonzaga; Summer begins
- Wednesday:** St. Paulinus of Nola; Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More
- Thursday:** The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
- Friday:** The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
- Saturday:** The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION AND BENEDICTION ON THE SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

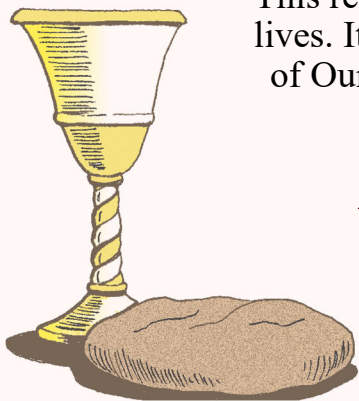
This Sunday, June 19, there will be Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction in the church after the 8:30 AM Mass in honor of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ.



This reminds us of God's presence in the world and in our lives. It is a prayerful act that celebrates the Real Presence of Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament and reminds us of our pilgrimage to Heaven.

ALL ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE.

We especially encourage all children, youth and adults who recently celebrated the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist to join us.





James

Pearls for Wise Living



JEFF CAVINS and SARAH CHRISTMYER

For more information and to register please call
Linda Enriquez 210-387-4804
or the OLG office 210-734-7285.

Please join us in this 10 week study as we look to the book of James to provide practical solutions for handling everyday circumstances faced by ordinary Christians who feel torn between the competing demands of this world and their faith. Meant to help a fledgling Church live out its faith in the face of persecution and a worldview opposed to the gospel, the book of James will help us discover wisdom that will apply to present day living and especially during times of trial.

Thursdays, June 9- August 11

**from 6:30 pm - 8:15 pm
in the Guadalupe Room**

Cost of Study Guide is \$29.00 and includes
online access to videos.



Mission Cooperative Plan Archdiocese of San Antonio



The weekend of July 2 & 3 we will welcome Fr. John Hopkinson to our parish. Fr. John is a priest of the Australian Province of the Marist Fathers and the Misioneros Marista. Last year Fr. John celebrated 50 years of ordination and this year completes 45 years of missionary endeavors in the Latin American Church - with the past 33 years in Bolivia after years in Mexico.

As a missionary community and team in Bolivia [Misioneros Maristas, Bolivia] continues to grow and to bear fruits as they dedicate their efforts to the promotion, formation, accompaniment and assessment of the Base Church Communities –Comunidades Eclesiales de Base [CEBs] which is a pastoral priority of the Tarija Diocese, of the Bolivian Conference of Bishops and of CELAM throughout the Latin American Church. Their Marist Team is the only team that dedicates its pastoral and missionary efforts full-time to this pastoral priority.

Upon formation of this Marist community and team, the local bishop literally said to them as he gave them their mission crosses: “*Vayan –Go!*” So they set off with backpack on top of a produce truck to set up the MISSION of SAN PABLO in the jungle alongside of the Boppi River. There they built their own house and formation center for animators/lay pastoral agents and fed themselves on what they could find. Humorously they would tell their friends: “On Mondays we eat rice & boiled green bananas and on Tuesday we eat boiled green bananas & rice!” Over 4 years they set about that model of Church and the Base Church Communities with their lay ministers. In September of 1999, they set up their 3rd mission, that of La Mamora in the Tarija Diocese, bordering with Argentina and the Andean Mountains where the closest remote village of Sta. Rosa was some 12-hour hike up the mountains. Apart from giving formation courses in the Tarija throughout the year to the animators, they also respond to requests from several Bolivian dioceses and others throughout Latin America. The Team also produces a weekly radio program of evangelization and Concientizacion for the Jesuit Radio Network in Bolivia.

How does it survive? How is it maintained given the fact that it receives no salary, no stipends, and no official subsidy from any religious institution or church body and with their present yearly budget set at some \$58,000? On the generous support of a small group of friends in Fr. John’s native Australia and in the U.S. and through the sharing in some parishes here in the U.S. through the Missionary Cooperative Plan.

Our Archdiocese, through its MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE PLAN, has invited us to reflect upon our missionary responsibility as a parish and asks us to, on that day through the 2nd collection, be in solidarity by our sharing with the community of the Misioneros Maristas in Bolivia.



Catholic Women's CONFERENCE

"Come to Me"
Matthew 11:28



July 29 & 30, 2022
Friday & Saturday

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church | San Antonio

Breaking Through Fear & Wholeness and Healing

In the Heart of the Father

Issues of Identity and Accepting Yourself & Who, Me - Strong and Beautiful?

Saturday Morning Mass

Most Rev. Bishop Michael Boulette



Sister Elizabeth Ann Dockery

Disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ



Patty Breen

Writer, Blessed Is She

TEC TALKS

Enjoy mini presentations to Teach, Encourage, and Challenge



Grace Minus

Blessed Is She Who Mourns



Alexandra Kubebatu

Can Mary Make A Difference?



Cece Smith

Be Who God Meant You to Be



Mary Jane Fox

Conference Founder, Pilgrim Center of Hope

Eucharistic Adoration: Time with Jesus, the Divine *Healer*



THE GIFT OF THE EUCHARIST

Today we hear how Abram encounters Melchizedek, “king of Salem . . . and a priest of God Most High” (Genesis 14:18). Melchizedek appears nowhere else in scripture, but is nonetheless significant. Psalm 110 declares of the great King David, “You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek,” a description later given (in the letter to the Hebrews) to Christ as High Priest. Early Christians saw in Melchizedek’s bread and wine the bread and wine of the Eucharist; Paul’s account of the Last Supper (in today’s second reading) is the oldest one in scripture. In the Gospel, Luke describes Jesus providing bread for a crowd in words similar to Paul’s, words still used by the Church: Jesus takes bread, gives thanks, breaks it. Together, these three readings reveal how Christian priesthood, Christ’s Real Presence, and the call to serve those in need are all found in the gift of the Eucharist.

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**GOD BLESS THE MEN AND WOMEN OF
THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES**

*The June 26th second collection
is for Peter's Pence*



**The Rosary in Honor of Our Lady of the
Miraculous Medal**

is recited after the 8:00 am Mass every Saturday. All are welcome to join us in praying the rosary for your special intentions.

Please Join the Rosary Prayer Group



We meet this

Tuesday, June 21 at 6:30 PM

in the Madonna Room for a brief Scripture reflection and praying the Holy Rosary.

For information, call Greg Clary at
903-714-0232.



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

All are welcome to the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Exposition begins every Wednesday in the Adoration Chapel after the 7:00 am Mass and ends on Friday at 7 am.

For more information please contact Becky Prieto at 210-725-2383.

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THEOLOGY ON TAP
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Being There for Others
Vocation as a Call to Service

**Presenter: Auxiliary Bishop
Gary W. Janak**

Thurs., June 23, 2022 | 7 PM
Blue Star Brewing Company
1414 S. Alamo St. #105, SATX 78210

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