

The Catholic Parishes of Crawford County

October 7th & 8th, 2017

27th Sunday of Ordinary Time



*'I tell you, then,
that the kingdom
of God will be
taken from you
and given to a
people who will
produce its fruit.'*

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October 10 th	- Parish Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.
October 11 th , 18 th , & 25 th	- Faith Formation Classes 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
October 12 th	- Altar Society Meeting 1:00 p.m.
October 12 th	- Youth Committee meeting 6:30 p.m.
October 13 th	- School Field Trip to Heartland Farms
October 18 th , Nov. 8 th , & 29 th	- Confirmation Class 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
October 21 st	- Holy Cross School Chili Dinner from 4:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall
October 22 nd	- Altar Society Raffle ('Route 66' Cuba Fest)

Ministries: October 14th & 15th, 2017

4:00 p.m. St Francis

Ushers: Josephine Lindsey & Ken Schroeder

Altar Servers: Andrea & Ashlee Wild

Lector: Carmella Baker

Gifts: Rosemary Baker & Josephine Lindsey

E. Min: Barb Cibulka, Connie Nowack, & Ken Schroeder

Rosary:

Greeter: Carol Schroeder

6:00 p.m. Holy Cross

Ushers: Randy Baker, Mike Catlett, John Fester, & Shirley Williams

Altar Servers: Briana & Conor Osentoski

Lector: Steven Barreca

Gifts: Dean & Caron Schellin

E. Min: Rita Baker, Mark Havard, & Marcia Paton

Rosary: Carolyn Horsefield

Greeter: Larry & Pat Shearrer

8:00 a.m. St Michael

Ushers: Jim Cain & Michael Retkowski

Altar Servers: Mike Pendelton

Lector: Larry Howdeshell

Gifts: Rosemary Gruver & Sandy Mowry

E. Min: Agnes Cain & Maureen Sarles

Rosary: Divine Mercy

Greeter: Joe Ann Waller

10:00 a.m. Holy Cross

Ushers: Jim Bathe, Mathew Campbell, Juan Marquez, & Louis Raineri

Altar Servers: Cadynce Basham & Tara Enke

Lector: Norma Walls

Gifts: Sarah Robinson & Cathy Schroyer

E. Min: Paul Crow, Sharon Neill, & Volunteer

Rosary: Julia Coster

Greeter: Teresa Brown

Mass Intentions for 10/9 – 10/15, 2017

St. M Tues. 6:00 p.m. – Marie McDole Gormley †

H.C. Wed. 8:00 a.m. – Rich Koke †

St. F Thurs. 9:00 a.m. – Rosemary Baker †

St. F Sat. 4:00 p.m. – Robert Smith †

H.C. Sat. 6:00 p.m. – Peggy Vitali †

St. M Sun. 8:00 a.m. – Neal Farmer †

HC Sun. 10:00 a.m. – Bobby Swope †

HC Sun. 11:30 a.m. – People of the parish

(Mass in Spanish)

Parish Collections:

September 30th & October 1st, 2017



Holy Cross – \$ 4,892.00

St. Michael – \$ 820.00

St. Francis – \$ 514.00

Altar Society Raffle:

The altar society will have their quilt drawing Sunday, **October 22nd** at Cuba Fest! Raffle tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. You can find tickets at the back of church, or at the parish office.



1st prize: 82"x 99" Hand Stitched Quilt

2nd prize: Ground Pork – 25 1 lb. packages

3rd prize: 4 each - Ribeye, T-bone, Porterhouse

4th prize: Ground Pork – 25 1 lb. packages

5th prize: Italian Dinner Basket

6th prize: \$50 Gas Card

Funeral Dinner:

The Funeral Dinner Committee is looking for help. Anyone that is interested in helping with funeral dinners by serving or bringing food, please call Julie Crow 573-259-3200.



Altar Society Meeting:

The Altar Society meets Wednesday afternoon at 1 p.m. in the parish hall. All are welcome to attend.

Confirmation/Youth Ministry News:

Upcoming meeting dates: October 4th, October 18th, November 8th, and November 29th. Holy Cross Parish Hall, 6:30 - 8 PM. Teens from all three parishes are expected to attend. Contact Teresa Leicht at t_leicht@yahoo.com for more information.



Youth Committee Meeting:

All those who would be interested in joining the Youth Committee and working with our youth please attend the meeting October 12th at 6:30 p.m. in the parish hall. For more information please contact Erica Wilkerson at 573-259-4503 or email elsxb3@mst.edu.



***"Peace begins with a smile." -
Mother Teresa***

On October 4th – the Feast of St. Francis:

The children and teachers at Holy Cross prayed for the Gift of Peace in various countries. Then in the evening the children and catechist at Faith Formation prayed for Peace. In response to Pope Francis' "Care for Creation" the children made posters to be displayed.

A reminder for Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Greeters:

If you are not able to be at a ministry assigned, please call someone to be the substitute. If you cannot find someone, please call the office and the secretary will find a replacement. Thank you.

A new ministry schedule will be made soon. If you know of dates that you cannot serve for the months of November and December, please call the parish office.

Eucharistic Ministers, the Deacon is assigned to one parish Mass a weekend, so please be present when you are scheduled.

A Reminder - homebound parishioners in all three parishes:

If you know of someone who is not able to come to Mass and would like to receive Communion, please call the office or Sister Karen (507-514-3226) Or if you are bringing Communion to someone, would you call Sister Karen and let her know. We want to minister to all of the people of our parishes.

RCIA/RCIC:

We are in the Inquiry part of the RCIA process (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults). We meet each Sunday at 5:30 p.m. in the Parish Offices. If you are interested in joining the sessions, please call Sister Karen.

The team is: Father Rich, Lilian Collins, Mickey Reese and Sister Karen. If you need more information, you can talk with one of them also.

Parishioners in all three parishes: We are in need of you to help us in providing snacks for the sessions. If you can bring a snack, please sign up on the paper in the church along with your Telephone number. Please know that if you provide the snack, you are welcomed to join the session and meet the people interested in being part of the Catholic Church and of this faith community.

Employment Opportunity:

Holy Cross School is looking for employees to help run an after school program from 3:15 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Please call the school office if interested at 885-4727. VIRTUS training is required, and will be made available to those who have not yet had the class.



Pope Francis Campaign: Share the Journey:

On Wednesday, Sept. 27, 2017, Pope Francis launched a global two-year worldwide campaign called "Share the Journey" in support of migrants and refugees. Following the launch, the USCCB is calling for a **Week of Prayer and Action** from **October 7 through October 14**. Here in the U.S., the



campaign will focus on those who have come to our country to build a better life. It will also focus on the work of the universal Church in response to refugees, poverty reduction and improved opportunities so people can remain in the countries where they live. The Holy Father has requested us to join this global movement to show support for the unprecedented number of people who have been forced to flee their homes around the world. Pope Francis asked people around the world to use social media to show love for their neighbors wherever they are and share the journey of the millions of migrants and refugees who are seeking safety and a decent life. Go to sharejourney.org to learn more about this campaign.

Share the Journey #sharejourney

Holy Cross bulletin board:

Please take note at the bulletin board at the back of Holy Cross Church; the pictures from the parish festival are on display.

