



## HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### JANUARY 24, 2010 – THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday from 4:00 PM to 4:30 PM**

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: By Appointment After Pre-Baptismal Instructions**

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: By Appointment**

**ADORATION: From 7:30 AM Thursday Continually Until 7:00 PM Thursday**

**Rectory Office Hours: Monday through Friday – 8 AM to 12 Noon – 1 PM to 4 PM**

Monday 25

No Service

Tuesday 26

6:00 PM

KJT & KJZT

Wednesday 27

7:00 AM

+ Betty Kaluza

Thursday 28

7:00 AM

+ Lee Hillmann; Annie Poessel

Friday 29

7:00 AM

+ Florence Kubena

Saturday 30

5:00 PM

Parishioners

Sunday 31

7:00 AM

+ Ismael Montalvo

9:00 AM

+ Bernice Twardowski

11:00 AM

+ Joe L. Stavinoha, Jr.



## WELCOME TO HOLY CROSS CHURCH!

### LITURGICAL MINISTRY

Wednesday – 7 a.m. – Nathan & Matthew Tovar

Thursday – 7 a.m. – Tyler Vasut & Blake Whitley

Friday – 7 a.m. – Brandy & Brent Babin

### Saturday, January 30 – 5:00 P.M. Mass

Servers: Lane Kolafa, Kacee Krenek, Katie Kubes

Lector: Patricia Michulka

Ushers: Joe Morse Family

Eucharist: Mary Ann Morse

### Sunday, January 31 – 7:00 A.M. Mass

Servers: Tyler Kurtz, Miranda & Cody Lehmann

Lector: Christopher King

Ushers: Albert Smaistrila Family

Eucharist: Helen Mica

### Sunday, January 31 – 9:00 A.M. Mass

Servers: Camille, Corrinne, & Nicolas Mica

Lector: Shelley Popp

Ushers: Lance Rejsek Family

Eucharist: Cindy Garza

### Sunday, January 31 – 11:00 A.M. Mass

Servers: Garrett Losack, Hallye Mica, Justin McGuire

Lector: Monica Kubena

Ushers: Ed Wasek Family

Eucharist: Lora Faltysek



Mass Attendance Last Weekend: 791

Your Gift to God Last Weekend: \$5,145.50

Haiti Collection: \$6,521.56 Parish Development: \$243.00

Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for:

Gertrude Hillmann & Family in memory of Lee Hillmann, Sr.

**Please Pray For Our Sick:** Rev. Henry Rachunek, Sr. Lillian Barta, Christian Adamek, Felix Aguire, Susan Badger, Jerri Brezik, Samuel Britton, J.B., M.B., Joe Burtschell, Sr., Gloria Buxkemper, Gloria Centeno, Rena Chauvin, Anna Chumchal, Joe Chumchal, Evelyn Cochran, Gwen Danley, Roy Demny, Katherine Drews, Eva Dusek, Lucille Ferguson, Edrie Flowers, Beatrice Fojtik, John Michael Green, Adrian Gubert, Frances Hadash, Tillie Haedge, Caylee Ann Hammock, Mary Hennecke, Susie Hillmann, Florence Holmes, Ron Horelica, Linda Hoskins, Brent Irby, Richard Jalowy, Joyce Janik, Mary Johech, Ruthie Johech, Jeanette Kalina, Mary Jane Kelner, Leslie King Quinnell, Rudy Klecka, Bessie Kramr, Mary Kucera, Mary Ann Leveridge, Oscar Litvik, Archie & Jeremy Lopez, Barbara Lopez, Vincente Lopez, Jake Marik, Pati Marik, Hope Martinez, Karen Meinardus, Charlie Michulka, Leona Milder, Gene Mrkwa, Chris Pena, Lillian Pilcik, Agnes Polak, Marvin Polasek, Shirley Powers, Stanley Rejsek, LeRoy Repka, Mildred Repka, Sam Rubio, Sr., Agnes Smaistrła, Greg Smaistrła, Joe Sodalak, Rosemary Staudt, Joe Szymanski, John Szymanski, Lillie Talafuse, Lucy Talas, Victor Tichacek, Amy Thomas, Margaret Toellner, Evelyn Ullmann, Anthony V., Sylvia Yackel

Please call or email us if you want to add someone to the list.

**We pray for the soul of** Della Chmelik who passed away last week.  
Please keep her family in your prayers.

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**Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
begins every Thursday after the 7:00 a.m. Mass and closes at 7:00 p.m.**

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**We welcome into our faith** Zoie Rihanna Vasquez who was baptized last weekend.

**Communion to the Homes:**

**January 24:** Margaret Smaistrła, Donna Cavness, Helen Mica

**January 31:** Marvin Adamek, Brenda Polak, Jerry Smaistrła

Please call Janelle Barta at 335-7975 if you need to receive home communion.

**Altar Society:**

Charlotte Bucek, Bea Kovar, Karen Kubena, Stacy Lehmann

**Second Collection: Today - January 23 & 24 – Latin America**

**IWBS Meeting: Monday, January 25, 7 p.m. in the meeting room.**

**RCIA Classes – Tuesday, January 26, 7 p.m. in room 1.**

**Holy Cross Blood Drive – Sunday, January 31 in the Meeting Room.**

Please contact Robert or Patricia Michulka at 335-6107 for more info.

**The 2010 Flower Calendar is in church, ready for your intentions.**

**Sanctuary Lamp Intentions – please call the parish office to select your date.**

**Flowers for this weekend:**

Ed & Judy Schneider in honor of their 45<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.

The Bucek Family in memory of Henrietta Bucek.



**Baptismal Class – January 27, 7 p.m. in room 1.  
Please call 335-7551 to register.**

**Red Rose Sunday:** In support of life, the Catholic Daughters Court St. Bernadette #1108 have placed a vase with three red roses before the Blessed Mother in honor of all mothers who choose life for their babies.

**Polka Mass – 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 30**

**Make a note:** Jr. High Fiesta is Sunday, January 31, 2010, KC Hall in Hallettsville. Students in grades 6-8th are invited to attend. This year APEX MINISTRIES will be presenting the program. Lunch is provided as well as a snack bar throughout the day. The day opens at 11 a.m. and closes with Mass at 5 p.m. Registration forms (blue) are in the church vestibule, these are the same forms handed to students at GOF. Deadline to register is Noon, Monday, January 25, 2010. For more information contact Mrs. Krenek at 335-4071.

**Diocesan Confirmation Retreats:** Registration forms (gold colored) are in the church vestibule, these are the same forms that were emailed to students. Registration Deadline is Wed., Jan. 27..

**Diocesan Youth Spectacular** is Sunday, March 7, 2010, KC Hall in El Campo. Registration forms available in mid-February.

**Sacrament Classes will meet this week at their normal times.**

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**Disciples On The Journey** - Sign up weekend on January 24<sup>th</sup> in church. Please sign up early so materials can be ordered! For more info, please call Patricia Michulka at 335-6107. Thank you!

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

English \_\_\_\_\_ Spanish \_\_\_\_\_

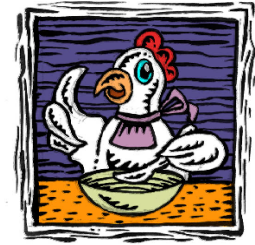
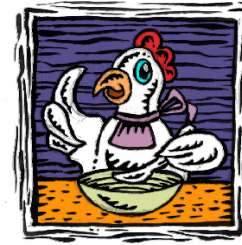
Family \_\_\_\_\_ Stay at home Moms (Wed. mornings)

Tues. Mornings \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Groups \_\_\_\_\_

Select 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3<sup>rd</sup> choice of day (Sun. – Thurs.) 1<sup>st</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_

Catholic Daughters of the Americas  
Court St. Bernadette #1108

**CHICKEN NOODLE  
SOUP  
SUPPER  
AND  
RAFFLE**



**Wednesday, JANUARY 27, 2010**  
**AMERICAN LEGION HALL**  
**EAST BERNARD**

**SERVING BEGINS AT 5:00 PM**  
DINE IN OR  
BRING YOUR OWN CONTAINER TO TAKE HOME

**BOWL OF SOUP - \$2.50 each**  
**CHICKEN SALAD SANDWICH - \$2.50 each**  
**PASTRIES AVAILABLE**

**RAFFLE DRAWING FOR 64 PRIZES AT 7:00 PM**  
**(Raffle tickets are available before drawing.)**